

'TIS SCHEME OF "HIGH" FINANCE

That Is What City Officials Of Madison Charge Against F. Warren Montgomery's Interurban To Stoughton Project.

FUNDS FOR ROAD NOT AVAILABLE

Short Line Would Not Be A Paying Proposition, And It Is Alleged That Whole Game Is Simply To "Control" Situation.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
Madison, Wis., Sept. 4.—(Freezing) financiers, bad faith and "dog in the manger" tactics are charged by the city of Madison against F. Warren Montgomery, otherwise known as the Southern Wisconsin Railway Co., owner of the Madison traction system, now seeking from the state railroad commission a certificate of "necessity and convenience" on the representation that he wants to build an interurban line from Madison to Stoughton. At the hearing of the matter Monday, when representatives of Janesville appeared and joined with Madison in opposing the certificate, the Madison city attorney and committee appointed by the common council made oral and general charges of "high" finance against the traction company and now these charges have been placed in writing and laid before the commission. It is believed here that Mr. Montgomery has no chance whatever of obtaining his certificate, with which to block the building of a through line to Janesville.

The city of Madison in its statement declares that it objects to the proposed certificate for the reason that it sincerely desires an interurban line to be built in that direction, and that the applicant in the present instance is not acting in good faith and does not intend in fact to build such a line. Five main reasons are set up by the city why the certificate should be denied, as follows:

1. Extension to Stoughton, as desired in the petition, would not offer sufficient traffic to be of benefit, or render the line a paying proposition.
2. Extension to Stoughton will prevent necessary improvements on the city line and would delay the time of reduction of fares.
3. The Southern Wisconsin Railway company (F. Warren Montgomery) is not financially able to build the line.
4. The plan is simply to get control of the situation and prevent other companies building to Madison except by paying tribute to the local company.
5. Mr. Montgomery has juggled with various sales of the property and bonds of stock until the Madison system is overburdened with debts, many of which are indebtedness in fact "water."

Keeps Others Out.
"There is an almost unanimous desire on the part of the citizens of Madison for interurban connection with the larger cities; the connection most desired is to Chicago by way of Stoughton, Janesville and Rockford," says the statement. "Already this route is in successful operation as far as Janesville and parties interested in such road have, as we are informed, been willing and anxious to extend this line to Madison; the principal objection heretofore, in their and in the way of others has been their inability to make satisfactory terms with the local Madison interurban road for entrance into the city of Madison, over the line of petitioners heretofore. We are credibly informed that the petitioners heretofore demanded such rates and terms as to render it impossible for any such parties to enter over the line of the local company."

Got No Grant From City.
"Said committee further represents and shows, that while negotiations between the parties interested in the Chicago, Rockford, Janesville and Madison line were pending, the petitioners herein applied to the local council to amend its franchise, and representing that it proposed extending its line from Madison to Stoughton and making permission to run such interurban cars over its urban line into and through the city of Madison. This proposition was fully examined into by a committee of the council in public and private hearings and later in like manner before the council and the application was refused by an almost unanimous vote of the council."

"The council was led to do this by reason of its unwillingness to extend the franchise of the local company, and from the further fact that it much doubted the ability and the intention of the local company to construct the proposed line. Further, the council did not believe that the line to Stoughton would be of any appreciable value or benefit to the city, and would give to the petitioner a monopoly of the situation and that the amendment provided for would prevent, rather than aid the city in securing the interurban services desired and which its situation required and demanded."

Not Made in Good Faith.
"The city of Madison and the people of the city are the parties most interested in this application; your committee represents the city and hence the people of the city, and objects to the granting of the petition of the petitioner or to any other company who proposes only to run to the neighboring town of Stoughton. We

do not believe this application is made in good faith."

Financial History.
When the present management purchased the Madison street railway system there was as appears from the published reports outstanding \$210,000 of bonds; the purchasers paid, so we are informed, \$250,000 and assumed the payment of these bonds, hence the entire system cost the present management \$170,000. Immediately after the purchase, it was bonded for \$1,200,000 or two and three-fourths times the total cost of the entire system; of this issue of bonds \$585,000 were immediately sold, in other words, the purchasers immediately sold enough of the \$1,200,000 bond issue to pay the old bonds, to pay the entire purchase price and leave them a balance of \$215,000 to the good. The road has prospered and last year earned \$65,573.94 over and above all operating expenses, and yet it is indebted on its notes to Mr. Montgomery in the sum of \$78,000.

In June all the assets of the Madison company were sold to the petitioner, The Southern Wisconsin Railway company. This company was organized on May 21, 1907, as we are informed in the office of Messrs. Mark and Fairchild of Milwaukee. Albert Denn, lately of this city, and now a clerk in that office, is one of the incorporators and vice president of the company. The other incorporators are, as we are informed, clerks in the same office.

With the outstanding capital stock of \$500,000 and outstanding bond issue of \$1,200,000, of which \$685,000 had been sold, the new company immediately issued \$2,000,000 additional bonds and paid for the plant as follows:

Bonds Multiplied.
"Five hundred thousand dollars of the second issue of bonds; \$50,000 in capital stock and \$75,000 in cash, total \$625,000; that is, the old company after selling bonds for \$215,000 more than sufficient to pay the old bonds and the entire purchase price, now sold out for \$500,000 of the new bond issue and in addition \$50,000 of the capital stock and \$75,000 in cash."

"There are now outstanding liabilities of the new company as follows: \$500,000 of the \$1,200,000 bond issue, \$685,000 of the \$2,000,000 bond issue, \$500,000 and indebtedness represented by notes, \$75,000; total \$1,130,000 or approximately three times the total cost of the system by the present management two years ago. To be just to the company, it should be said that the present management has materially improved the system and built the South Madison extension, but the gross income of the road, less operating expenses and legitimate interest would in turn materially aid in such improvements."

"We conclude therefore that under the present system of financing the present management would be unable to build the proposed line, even if the permission were granted."

"We believe the application is made for the sole purpose of giving the local company a monopoly or control of the situation, and to enable it to prevent any other line from entering the city in the proposed direction, except on such terms as the petitioner may dictate."

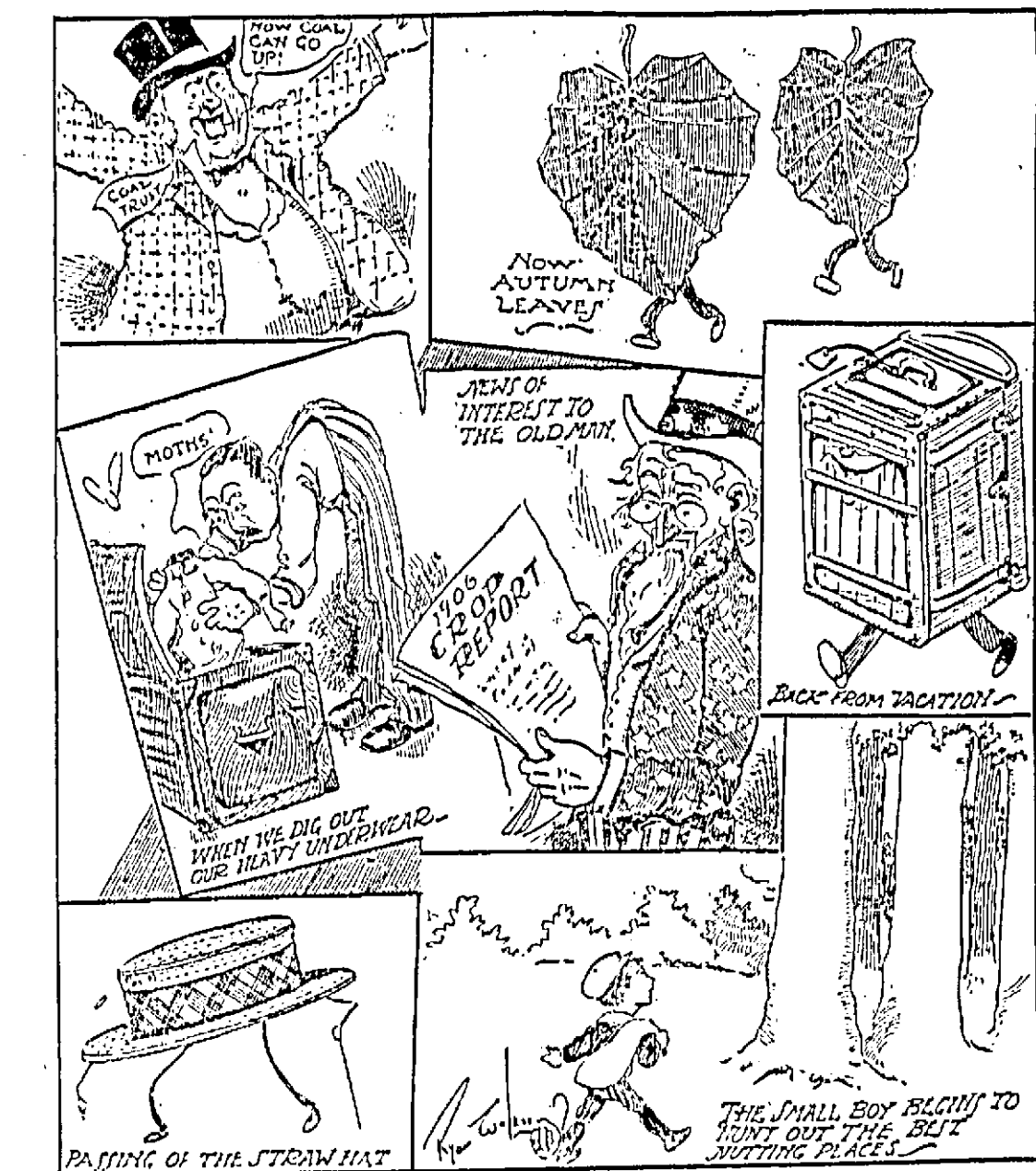
MOTOR BOAT RACES AT JAMESTOWN FAIR

Long Distance Run of 100 Miles Will Be Feature of Tomorrow's Program.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
Norfolk, Va., Sept. 4.—The motor boat carnival and races for which the management of the Jamestown exposition has been preparing for months past opened today under conditions that promise well for the success of the affair. All the leading manufacturers of motor boats in America are represented and some spirited contests are expected.

Reliability trials of the speedy little craft commenced this morning. Tomorrow will be devoted to the long distance race, 100 miles, up Chesapeake Bay and return. Friday will be given over to mile speed trials, the course being along the Elizabeth river. During the remaining days of the carnival there will be a series of races in which the boats of the various classes will be pitted against each other in twenty and thirty mile runs around triangular courses.

Iowa M. E. Conference.
Burlington, Ia., Sept. 4.—Many delegates, both clergy and laymen, are here to take part in the annual session of the Iowa conference of the Methodist Episcopal church. The conference will be in session here during the next five or six days, Bishop Cranston presiding.



SEPTEMBER MOMENTS.

UNCLE SAM'S PIER DEDICATED TONIGHT

Large Double Government Pier Is One of Conspicuous Engineering Features at Exposition.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
Norfolk, Va., Sept. 4.—The immense double government pier, one of the most conspicuous engineering features of the Jamestown exposition, is to be dedicated tonight with a brilliant illumination and pyrotechnic display. There will also be some speech-making by several of the exposition and government officials.

ARCHBISHOP'S BODY PLACED IN CRYPT

Most Rev. John Joseph Williams of Boston Laid under Baltimore Cathedral.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
Baltimore, Md., Sept. 4.—The body of the Most Rev. John Joseph Williams, archbishop of Boston, was today placed in a crypt beneath the Cathedral of the Holy Cross in the presence of a host of high prelates and thousands of members of the Catholic church. The funeral services were most solemn and elaborate.

EIGHT FRENCHMEN KILLED BY MOORS

Christian Forces Sustained Loss in Battle Just Outside Casablanca Yesterday.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
Casablanca, Sept. 4.—Eight Frenchmen, including two officers, were killed and seventeen others were wounded in an engagement yesterday between a large body of Moors and the French artillery just outside the city.

ALPHONSE "CALLED" FOR SPEEDING CAR

Spanish King Lectured by Ministers For Scorching and Making Secret Trips Into France.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
London, Sept. 4.—King Alfonso of Spain, according to a story published in Truth, has been lectured by his ministers against personally driving the royal motor car at excessive and dangerous speed. His secret motor expeditions into France have also been condemned by them.

The king recently took a trip from Madrid to Bordeaux without the knowledge of the Spanish or French authorities and this caused the French police to protest that they could not be held responsible for the king's safety unless they had notice of his intention to visit France.

Granddaughter of Noted Soldier.
New York, Sept. 4.—A party of guests journeyed from this city today to attend the wedding of Miss Mary Sherman of Pittsburg and Daniel

Webster Arnold of this city, which took place at the summer home of the bride's parents in the Berkshire Hills. The bride is a granddaughter of the late General William T. Sherman, and the bridegroom is well known in New York society and club circles.

PHRENOLOGY DOWN TO THE MECHANICAL

Electric Contrivance Invented to Measure Bumps on Head and Determine Character.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
New York, Sept. 4.—No longer is it necessary for a man, the surface of whose head resembles a miniature mountain range, to submit himself to a phrenologist, so that the meaning of the various excrescences may be explained. The "automatic electrical phrenometer" will do all that for him, and do it too in half a minute. Not only does the machine measure bumps, but it records the exact proportions of the mental qualities corresponding to those excrescences.

The bump machine is a heavy steel bar, above the electrical mechanism, and fitted inside with a great number of steel prongs or fingers. The subject is placed underneath, the helmet is lowered, the steel fingers close tightly upon his cranium, a steel prong catches hold of his nasal organ with a strong and resolute grip, and there he is, looking for all the world like a prisoner in a torture chair of the Spanish Inquisition.

The operator winds a little handle, there is a whirr of the machinery, and in thirty seconds the bump machine has not only dissected a character, but has, by the printing contrivance beneath, put it down in black and white, on clean paper. Those who have tried it have found it most ingenious, and occasionally embarrassing.

WISCONSIN FUNERAL DIRECTORS' MEETING

Large Number of State Association Members Assemble in Milwaukee For Annual Convention.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 4.—The members of the Wisconsin Funeral Directors' association, between 300 and 400 in number, assembled in Milwaukee today and began their twenty-sixth annual convention. Discussion of business topics will keep the association busy for the next three days.

"SHERBIE" TO SPEAK AT WATERLOO TODAY

State Officials Will Also Assist in Dedication of Firemen's Park at Waterloo Today and Thursday.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
Waterloo, Wis., Sept. 4.—The new Firemen's park is being dedicated here today and tomorrow by the Waterloo fire department, assisted by several hundred firemen from cities throughout southern Wisconsin. The formal exercises are being held this afternoon. Mayor Sherburne M. Beck, of Milwaukee's "boy mayor," will deliver an address late this afternoon, and several state officials will make short speeches. Lieut. Gov. W. D. Connor, Insurance Commissioner Heald, State Treasurer Dahl, and Secretary of State Fenn are expected some time today to participate in the exercises tonight and tomorrow. The features of the celebration will be a military parade by Co. G, of Madison, and a barbecue. A ton steer will be food for the thousands.

JUDGE SEAMAN WILL SIT IN GREAT CHICAGO SUIT
Federal Circuit Judge of Wisconsin Will Hear Railway Reorganization Suit with Justice Brewer.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
Sheboygan, Wis., Sept. 4.—Judge W. H. Seaman of the federal circuit court left this morning for Chicago, where he will sit with Justice Brewer of the supreme court in the famous Chicago street railway reorganization suit.

SNAKE RIVER TRACT FIRST UNDER LAW

Tract of 50,000 Acres First to be Opened Under Carey Act—Irri-gating Canal Progressing.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
Denver, Colo., Sept. 4.—Tomorrow will be a red letter day for Routt county, in this state, particularly the Little Snake River valley, when about 50,000 acres of splendid agricultural lands will be thrown open for settlement under the provisions of the Carey act. The Snake river project is the first of its kind launched in Colorado under the Carey law, and from all indications will be entirely successful from every viewpoint. Many men are now working on the canal system, and with the present rate of progress water will be supplied to a large part of the valley next spring, and the entire district, it is expected, will be under irrigation during the year.

SECRETARY TO FORMER PRESIDENT IS DEAD

Colonel Halford Retired From Army Service Because of Reaching Age Limit—Once Secretary to Harrison.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
Washington, D. C., Sept. 4.—Colonel Elbert W. Halford, deputy paymaster general of the United States army, a former private secretary to President Benjamin Harrison, was placed on the retired list today, having reached the age limit for active service.

Colonel Halford has served in the army since Jan. 19, 1893, his appointment to the pay corps having been one of the last official acts of President Harrison. Colonel Halford is a native of England, and while a child came to the United States and located at Indianapolis, where he was employed as a printer and newspaper writer. In 1889 he was appointed private secretary to President Harrison. In 1896 he was a delegate to the republican national convention, and served on the committee which drafted the platform upon which Harrison was elected. In 1898 he was disbursing officer of the Bering Sea Arbitration Commission which met in Paris. He has recently been stationed in the Department of California.

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CHICAGO STORE BLOWN UP; DYNAMITERS GIVEN CREDIT

Stock Destroyed, Building Partially Wrecked And Occupants Of Second Floor Thrown Violently From Beds.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
Chicago, Ill., Sept. 4.—An explosion in the store of Stanley K. Graham, dealer in paints and wall paper, 135 North State street, at 3 o'clock this morning partially wrecked the building and threw out of bed several persons asleep on the second floor, but injured no one. The detonation was heard a mile away, and the guests at the Virginia hotel, near by, as well as the occupants of houses in the vicinity, were awakened and all were for a time excited, and a few people ran into the streets.

The explosion is believed to have been gun powder. At the windows in the building were broken, and the contents of the store were demolished. The family of E. O. Hall and M. G. Clark occupied the second story and Clark was thrown violently from his bed.

The explosion is attributed to the "dynamiters" who have been, as is believed by the police, trying to revenge themselves on Chicago gamblers. But why Mr. Graham should have been selected as a victim of their vengeance is at present unknown.

TO PROVIDE FUNDS FOR GREAT WESTERN

President of Road, Home from Europe, Says Plans Have Been Made and Will Be Announced Soon.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
New York, Sept. 4.—President A. B. Stickney of the Chicago Great Western railway has returned from abroad, where he has been for some time past in consultation with stockholders and bankers. He says that the financial plan which has been under consideration for a long time to provide funds for the road for the next ten years has been practically completed and will be announced as soon as it has been approved by the company's attorneys.

NEW YORK BEAUTY TO PAINT EDWARD

Mrs. Lealle Cotton, Who Will Make Portrait of English King, Is High in Gotham Society.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
New York, Sept. 4.—Mrs. Lealle Cotton, who has been commissioned by King Edward to paint his portrait, has a high social position in this city. Among her paintings are likenesses of many well known persons of the metropolis. She was Miss Marietta Benedict and is a woman of beauty and much charm of manner. Her art studies took her to Paris where under the instruction of the best masters she developed her talent for portraiture. She painted portraits of Prince Bismarck, the Duke of Cambridge and other European celebrities.

Wilder's Brigade Reunion.
Charleston, Ill., Sept. 4.—The annual reunion of Gen. John T. Wilder's famous brigade began here today and will continue until Saturday. A considerable number of the surviving veterans are on hand, many having come a long distance to attend the gathering and to exchange wartime reminiscences. The annual address will be delivered by Col. Tomlinson Fort, a well known Confederate veteran of Chattanooga, Tenn.

DRINKS CUP FULL OF ACID FOR WATER

Farmer Who Made Serious Mistake Is in Critical Condition but Is Expected to Recover.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
Antigo, Wis., Sept. 4.—Henry Dubholz, a farmer, is in a serious condition as the result of a peculiar mistake. While making purchases in the Lewis-Loykam hardware store, he asked for a drink of water. He grasped a jug of muriatic acid used for soldering and swallowed a tin cup full of the fluid. It is thought he will recover.

LEFT DIAMOND TO BECOME POLICEMAN

John Anderson, Who Recently Severed Connections With Washington Ball Club, to Carry Billy.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
Worcester, Mass., Sept. 4.—John Anderson, the well known ball player, who recently left the Washington club will, it is announced, become a member of the police force here.

BIG EASTERN STAR MEETING THIS WEEK

Triennial Convention of Masonic Women's Auxiliary Opens Four-day Session in Milwaukee.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 4.—The triennial convention of the general grand chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, embracing the United States, Scotland, England and Honolulu, met here this morning for a four-day session. Up to 2 o'clock 450 delegates and prominent members of the order had arrived. Six hundred are expected in all.

The first regular session was held at 10 this morning. This afternoon the chapter is holding executive meetings, and tonight a meeting will be held for the exemplification of ritualistic work.

This convention is one of the most comprehensive and important Milwaukee has ever entertained. The leading women identified with Masonry are here. This is the twelfth triennial session, St. Louis having had the last, in 1904.

Reports of officers show a membership of over 350,000, with at least 4,000 chapters. It is expected that Mrs. Ella S. Washburn of Racine, Wisconsin grand matron, will no doubt be elevated.

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WILL RUN AGAINST JOHNSON.
CONGRESSMAN BURTON UP FOR
MAYOR OF CLEVELAND.

Yields to Requests of Republican Lead-
ers Provided Certain Conditions
Are Complied with.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 4.—Congress-
man Theodore L. Burton, chairman
of the committee on rivers and harbors
in the lower house of congress, Tues-
day evening issued a statement out-
lining a platform upon which he is
willing to accept the Republican nomi-
nation for mayor of Cleveland.

It is expected that Mr. Burton's will
be the only name presented in the
nominating convention next Saturday.
The statement was issued in response
to a call from Republican leaders gen-
erally and petitions bearing thousands
of signatures of voters asking Mr.
Burton to become the Republican
standard bearer in opposition to May-
or Johnson, who, it is conceded, will
be the Democratic nominee for a
fourth term.

In declaring himself a candidate Mr.
Burton indicates that he communi-
cated with President Roosevelt, Sec-
retary of War Ditch and Secretary of the
Interior Garfield before reaching a
conclusion, and in the platform laid
down by him he binds the convention
to favoring immediate settlement of
the street railway controversy and
against domination by the street rail-
way interests. The statement fol-
lows:

"I will accept the nomination for
mayor of the city of Cleveland, pro-
vided assurance is given:

"First—That the platform of the
party and those who see to its candi-
dates will clearly show the absence
of any alliance or affiliation with any
public service corporation, street rail-
way or other, and that the platform of
the relations of the municipality to
these companies can, under my leader-
ship, be settled by the officials elected
with supreme regard for the interests
of the people.

"Second—That the delegates in the
convention next Saturday will coop-
erate with me in nominating a good rep-
resentative ticket.

"It is my understanding that others
whose names have been mentioned for
the mayoralty nomination have kindly
consented to waive their claims in
case my name is presented to the Re-
publican convention.

"I make this statement with a pro-
found appreciation of the friendliness
which has been displayed for me by
petitions, letters and in other ways,
and with a feeling that the step which
I am taking is a duty.

"I have received letters from Presi-
dent Roosevelt and Secretary Taft and
have talked with Secretary Garfield,
whose opinions have aided me in
reaching a decision. At an early date
the views of each of them may be
made public."

Colonies of Three Nations.
Germany's colonies are five times
as big as herself, those of France 18
times and Britain's 97 times bigger
than herself.

To Sleep Restfully.
Train yourself to go to sleep think-
ing of your happiest experiences. Have
your muscles relaxed, your mind at
peace and on your face the expression
of happiness.

EVANSVILLE FAIR
ATTRACTS CROWDS

Gate Receipts Larger Than Last Year
—Oregon Lead to Footville on
Diamond Today.

(Special to the Gazette.)

Evansville, Wis., Sept. 4.—At noon
today indications are that the crowd
at the Rock county fair this after-
noon will be larger than on the sec-
ond day a year ago. The attendance
at the grounds was very good this
morning, the exhibitors of farm pro-
ducts, livestock and the arts and a
ball game being the magnet. On the
diamond Oregon lost to Footville
for a score of 6 to 2. For this and
for every ball game, one being sched-
uled for each morning, a purse of
fifty dollars was hung up—\$30 going
to the victorious team and \$20 to the
losing side. Music is being furnish-
ed today by the Baker Military band
of this city and the Ladies' Brass
band of Holbrook. The same organ-
izations will play tomorrow and the
Albany and Evansville bands will
play Friday. The band adjudged the
best will receive a prize of \$40.

Yesterday at the Fair

Evansville, Sept. 3.—The attend-
ance at the fair today was good,
many arriving on the noon train which
put on two extra coaches at Evans-
ville to accommodate the crowd. It
is said that the receipts of the day
were larger than those of the first
day last year. The children turned
out in full force and seemed to enjoy
the games and races. The merry-go-
round did a flourishing business, like
wise the ice-cream and candy stands.
The pony races were the main fea-
ture of the afternoon. In the running
races Harold Griffith was first; Lester
Miller, second; Hugh Hynes,
third, and Dean Spencer, fourth. In
the loose hitching races Charles Pul-
ter, first; Cliff Van Vorster, second,
and Charles Whisby, third. In the
double horse races, Harold Griffith
came first and Bert Miller second.
The ladies of the Episcopal church
are caring for the wants of the hun-
gry and palatable lunches may be
had at all hours each day. The stock
will be judged tomorrow morning,
the judges being C. E. Fisher of Janes-
ville, who will judge the cattle,
Charles Morgan of Albany, the hogs,
and Arthur Broughton of Albany, the
sheep.

GREELEY SLOAN IS
SUED FOR DIVORCE

Wife Charges That He Is Squander-
ing His Inheritance with Riotous
Living and Is Pastmaster in

Profanity.

Horace Greeley Sloan, who was
hurt in the automobile wreck at
Rockford in which Ex-Alderman
Kuscheid and Chauffeur George Post
were killed, has been made defend-
ant in a divorce suit filed at the
state metropolis yesterday by Jose-
phine Sloan. The Sloans were mar-
ried the day after Christmas in 1897
and have one child. The defendant
lives at 208 Seventeenth street and
is well known in Janesville and Mil-
waukee. He was left a considerable
fortune by his father, the late Isaac
C. Sloan, who owned an estate just
outside of this city.

The language of the complaint deals
specifically with the habits and con-
duct of Mr. Sloan, alleging that "he
is a slave to the excessive use of in-
toxicating liquors and is squandering
his inheritance in riotous living";
that "he is an expert and past master
in the art of profanity and vulgarity,
and never fails to ply his art toward
his wife and child." He frequently re-
turns from his debauches in an embarras-
sing and humiliating condition, and
his conduct is such as to cause the plat-
tiff to suffer in mind and body in a
manner both cruel and inhuman."

Mrs. Sloan says that her husband is
the owner of a one-third interest in
valuable property near Janesville, his
share being worth at least \$7,500, and
that in addition he has cash and val-
uable securities amounting to "thous-
ands of dollars more."

She demands a divorce and a fair
division of the property.

G. A. R. Encampment, Saratoga, N. Y.

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GEORGE WIGGINS AND MRS.
LILLY LAWTON OF EVANS-
VILLE WED IN ROCKFORD

(Special to the Gazette.)

Evansville, Wis., Sept. 4.—Mrs. Lil-
ly Lawton and George Wiggins, both
of this city, left here Monday with-
out notifying friends and took nup-
tial vows at Rockford. They were
attended by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mc-
Kinney of Edgerton. Mr. and Mrs.
Wiggins are now spending their hon-
ey-moon in Chicago and on returning
will make their home here.

Heart Strength

Heart Strength, or Heart Weakness, means Nerve
Strength. If Nerve Strength is lacking, the heart
will be weak and the body will be weak. It is in
itself, actually, disease. It is almost always a
hidden little nerve that really is at fault. This
obscure nerve—the cardiac, or heart nerve—
simply needs, and must have, more power, more
ability, more controlling, more governing
strength. Without that the heart must continue
to fail, and the stomach and kidneys also have
their own controlling nerves.

This clearly explains why, as a medicine, Dr.
Shoop's Restorative has in the past done so much
for weak and ailing hearts. It does not touch
the cause of all this painful, debilitating, suffocating
heart distress. Dr. Shoop's Restorative—this
popular prescription—acts directly to the
weak and ailing nerve centers. It builds
strength, it cures real, genuine heart help.
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gestion, strong circulation, strong vitality, take
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To smuggle a human skeleton into
Canada from Detroit a medical stu-
dent dressed it in female attire and,
scenting it by his side in a bulky,
crossed over the boundary line. After
he got safely into his house he learned
that there is no custom duty on skeletons.

Slightly Mixed.

This is told as an actual happening
to a Kansas man. He and his family
had gathered around the supper table
and all heads were lowered for him to
ask a blessing, when the telephone
bell rang. The man answered it; and,
coming back to the table, again bowed
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We also have Men's Pants made of
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tures at \$1.00 and \$1.50 a pair.
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MRS. E. HALL,
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS—STATE OF WIS-
CONSIN—Rock County—in Probate.
Notice is hereby given that at a regular term
of the county court, to be held in and for said
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ville, on the first Tuesday of April
1908, at nine o'clock a. m., the following mat-
ters will be heard, considered and adjusted:
All claims against said county, late of the city
of Janesville, in said county, deceased.
All claims must be presented for allowance to
said court, at the court house, in the city of
Janesville, in said county, on or before the 3rd
day of March, A. D. 1908, or be barred.
Dated September 3rd, 1907.
J. W. HALL, County Judge.
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Where Are
Your Interests
Are they in this community?
Are they among the people
with whom you associate?
Are they with the neighbors
and friends with whom you do
business?
If so you want to know what is happening in
this community. You want to know the
comings and goings of the people with whom
you associate, the little news items of your
neighbors and friends—now don't you?
That is what this paper gives you
in every issue. It is printed for
that purpose. It represents your
interests and the interests of this
town. Is your name on our sub-
scription book? If not, you owe
it to yourself to see that it is put
there. To do so
Will Be To
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MAY LIGHT TRACK
FOR AUTO RACES

Milwaukee Autoists Are Planning to
Hold Series of Contests at Night
at State Fair.

(Special to the Gazette.)

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 4.—If satis-
factory arrangements can be made for
lighting the track, there is a possibility
that there will be a change in the
original program of the Milwaukee
Auto Trade association and the Mil-
waukee Automobile club for the meet
Sept. 20-21 at State Fair park, which
will give residents of the state an op-
portunity to witness both short and
long distance racing at night.
The original plan calls for only the
twenty-four hour race being run at
night. Under this arrangement it will
be manifestly impossible for many to
witness night racing, or at most, to
witness only the last race, since they
cannot be in attendance on the last
night of the meet.

In response to the popular demand
the committee will try to have two
nights of racing. The long race begins
at 10 o'clock Friday night, and will
end at the same hour Saturday night.
The plan suggested proposes short
races before the long race starts on
Friday night. Eastern clubs and as-
sociations, under whose auspices recent
auto meets have been held, have found
this plan a good one.

It is pointed out that amateur driv-
ers might find some difficulty in
driving at night, and there might be
serious accidents in following such a
course, but this would be prevented by
sufficiently numerous lights about the
course. Since the remarkable absence
of accidents in the recent meet, the
members in charge of the carnival
have comparatively little fear on this
score.

TOTAL ENROLLMENT
IN SCHOOLS 2,130

Superintendent Buell Expects In-
crease of Five Hundred Before
End of Year.

Two thousand one hundred and thirty
boys and girls were enrolled in the
high and graded schools yesterday,
according to figures reported to Su-
perintendent H. C. Buell by the high
school faculty and teachers in the
grades. "When all the school chil-
dren of the city return to their schools
the next day, as they will within
the next few weeks," says Mr. Buell,
"the enrollment will be 2,500. An-
other increase will be shown at New
Year's and in the spring when the
Kindergartens will recruit those chil-
dren who reach the age of four be-
tween now and those times." The
first day enrollment is always small,
but the statistics for the different
graded schools are as follows: Jef-
ferson, 353; Adams, 343; Washington,
298; Lincoln, 179; Webster, 122;
Douglas, 130; Garfield, 116; Grant,
115; Jackson, 62.

Truant Officer Burdham has al-
ready commenced searching for those
who should be in school but are not
and those who are working without
permits. Many had permits to work
during the summer but these expired
September first and but few are being
renewed.

PROBABLY UNTRUE.

Proof is again afforded of the bene-
volent wisdom of nature. A professor
in the University of Michigan has
discovered that the hearing of girls is
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WISCONSIN WEATHER FORECAST

Partly cloudy tonight, fair Thursday, continued cool.

GAZETTE AUGUST CIRCULATION.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2d day of September, 1907.
JENNIE L. KENDALL,
(Seal) Notary Public.
My commission expires Feb. 11, 1911.

THE RUSSO-JAPANESE TREATY

It is interesting to observe how directly international compact in eastern Asia hinge upon those principles of territorial integrity and the open door in China which Great Britain first proposed and the adoption of which by the powers the United States first secured, says the New York Tribune. When Secretary Hay years ago, after much correspondence and diplomatic effort, obtained the formal adherence of the European powers to those principles there were many expressions of doubt concerning the practical efficiency of the arrangement. It was skeptically suggested that, however readily some powers might subscribe to a benevolent doctrine, they would throw it to the winds the moment selfish interest proffered that course. We may today record with gratification that thus far the contrary has been the case. Despite what might be assumed to be selfish interests, the powers have kept their pledge, and the Anglo-Japanese, the Franco-Japanese and, now latest, the Russo-Japanese treaties have specifically confirmed that pledge.

We may say, indeed, that reaffirmation and confirmation thereof formed the chief purpose of the Russo-Japanese treaty of July 30 last. That instrument is notably brief and direct in terms. It comprises only two short articles, and "equal opportunity," or the open door, is the keynote of each. In the first article the two powers agree to respect the territorial integrity of each other, and also their rights in China "so far as these are not incompatible with the principle of equal opportunity." In the second they specifically recognize and pledge themselves to uphold, by all possible means at their disposal, the independence and territorial integrity of China and the principle of equal opportunity in commerce and industry there for all nations. That marks a splendid advance from the efforts of recent years to secure for some one power a monopoly of privilege in a large part of the Chinese empire and is a splendid vindication of the consistent and persistent policy of the United States.

It is gratifying to be able to add that, according to reports, in nearly every particular those principles are being loyally put into effect. We have already commented upon the opening of the great port of Tientsin to the world's commerce and to the establishment of the Chinese imperial customs system along the Russian land frontier precisely the same as at seaports. Indeed, only one thing now seems to be lacking for the assurance of "equal opportunity." That is for Japan to join the other powers in guaranteeing the protection of trademarks in China. One of the greatest evils of Chinese trade, and one from which this country has suffered much, has been the counterfeiting of trademarks on foreign goods. There is no creditable reason for shielding that dishonest practice, and it is not to be expected that Japan, for the sake of gain to a few of the less scrupulous of her traders, will continue to countenance it. The Chinese empire is so large and its commercial requirements are so vast that, to paraphrase a familiar saying, there is profit enough for us all in trade with it without resorting to any dishonest or unfair tricks.

TURNING POINT OVERDUE

If the year 1891 be taken as the starting point in the course of wages for a series of years and the average earnings of that year be regarded as par, or 100, the general course of wages from that time on through the next five years was downward.

Expressed in this way the wage-earner got the least in 1896 when he received only 97.93 cents for every dollar received five years earlier. During the next six years, 1893 to 1898 inclusive, his wage income was less than the par of 1891. These were also the years of low prices.

Wages first began to advance from this under-par period in 1899, and have been going up ever since. If history does not mislead us, the time is already overdue for a downward turn in the course of wages, after eight years of steadfast ascendancy. Organization may postpone temporarily the turning of the lane, but it is sure to come. It should be remembered, however, that the purchasing power of the dollar in 1896 was much greater than now, so that, measured by that standard, the difference in wages between 1896 and 1907 is not so great as it seems. With the reduction in wages must necessarily come a reduction in prices.

My, how the fish stories floated in from Madison recently. They wound up with the capture of a twenty-two-pound white on a piece of packing thread with a bent pin for a hook baited with an anglerworm and a straw for the fishpole.

England has at last decided that it is possible for a man to marry his deceased's wife's sister if he wants to. Perhaps now that he can, he will not want to as much as he did.

Evidently the circus trust thinks Janesville should not have more than one circus a season. We are too large for the small shows and not big enough for the big ones.

Hardly a ripple was made when Mayor Becker of Milwaukee put out that feeble announcement that he would accept the republican nomination for Governor.

Colonel Waterson of Kentucky has not been heard from for at least a day. What is the matter with the Colonel? Has the Jules crop gone back in his system at last?

If the Southern railroad is operating in North Carolina for purely philanthropic reasons someone ought to suggest that it be given a Carnegie medal.

This quonking birds and hoards showing common sense is about on a par with the weighing of the soul of the elephant that died in John Robinson's circus.

As Holly Green is not strong on luxury the defalcation of her bank clerk will not deprive her of many silk dresses or automobiles after all.

Once in awhile Bryan gets off something funny. His latest is that both Roosevelt and Taft have stolen his thunder.

Root is taking a course of strenuous treatment from Mister Moulden, but Root can stand it and come out all the better.

Henry Wulf, the former Illinois state treasurer just released from the Bridewell, announces he is still in politics.

PRESS COMMENT.

Sly Poke at Sharbie?
Milwaukee Free Press: Political ambition is either a virtue or a crime, depending upon who has the ambition.

In Sarcastic Reference
Chicago Tribune: Everybody who can do so ought to go and see the Jamestown exposition. There will never be another one like it.

Andy's Dubious Allusion
Milwaukee News: Andrew Carnegie thinks Kaiser Wilhelm is a crook. It is doubtful if Wilhelm will appreciate the compliment. Carnegie's greatest achievement was the cutting off of a king's head.

Keep on Wearing It!
Evening Wisconsin: Sensible men will wear their straw hats if the weather is warm, without reference to the silly decree to which custom bows in Gotham. Why should Wall street be permitted to dictate to the homeless west?

Municipal Ownership Abbreviated, Etc.
Milwaukee Journal: Now Superior has abandoned M. O. In the up-to-date rush and anxiety to save space, the word despatch will soon be referred to euphemistically as the W. D., the all trust as the S. O. and the whole scheme as N. G.

Doesn't Take Himself Too Seriously
Madison Journal: Mr. Taft does not lack the "savage grace of humor." "We are all for Taft," shouted an enthusiastic Kansan, as the war secretary appeared on the platform of his car at Topeka on Wednesday. "Well, that indicates a healthy state of public opinion," replied Taft, smilingly.

Knocks That Does Bob's Game
Milwaukee Journal: Hunter La Follette's feelings must have been sorely tried when he was compelled, in order to have free speech, to take his audience with him out onto the street curb in Milwaukee. Bob is lucky. Misguided ones are always endeavoring to the best of their ability to kick him upstairs and the history of the past is that they usually succeed.

Kipling Again the Vogue
Musical Leader and Concert Goer:

Kipling is again the vogue. Oddly enough many Kiplingites have never read the master's masterpiece, the long short story entitled "They." They are the finest tale Kipling has ever written, or is ever likely to write. "The Flashing Jewel of a conte, a short story of the rose's rank and the diamond's price.

Bradford and Harmony Commended
Evening Wisconsin: Bradford and Harmony, two progressive towns of Rock county, are making the proper start to secure good roads. They have each voted \$800 for one mile stretches of model road to be constructed under the supervision of the State Geological Survey, on condition that the county vote an equal amount in each instance. When the towns and counties take hold in this practical way the good roads movement will soon have winning momentum.

Lettuce While You Wait
New York Press: "Yes," said a florist, "I can work miracles in my business. For instance, I can grow you lettuce that you may eat for your dinner with the broiled chicken." "I do it in this way," I take a handful of lettuce seeds that have been soaked over night in alcohol, and I plant them in a large and quicklime. I flush them with water in ten minutes the seeds burst, and in twenty minutes they have grown and multiplied. In an hour they are as big as half-dollars. Then you may pluck and eat them. They are delicious—a fairy salad.

Sometimes, when I give a dinner party I have one of these little prepared lettuce beds in the center of the table. The guests see the lettuce grow, and when the time comes for the salad course, there is their salad blooming before them, all ready for them to pluck."

A Symphony on "Empties"
Sheboygan Journal: The humble beer keg has at last been vindicated. For years the popular opinion regarding a beer keg, when it is empty, is that it is only fit to be hunched on the river and sent sailing toward Lake Michigan and the Gulf of St. Lawrence. Another view of the use of an empty beer keg was that it was only fit for use as a chair.

For years the brewers have been trying to create a different impression regarding their empty kegs. While it is a well known fact that an empty beer keg is a well known fact that an empty beer keg costs money. But the public refused to listen. Probably one reason was that by the time the keg was emptied the persons who bought it were not in condition to listen to arguments.

Yesterday, however, the brewers "landed." A Sheboygan man was caught sawing a beer keg up into a pul, and he was arrested and fined. This ought to convince the public that an empty beer keg is an empty keg—not a pul or a boat, or a stool.

The Master's Struggle for His Art
Chicago Record-Herald: He had that pride which made him forbear to touch anything that he could not dominate, and he had that variety of gifts which enabled him to illuminate many things. So equipped, he rose above the horizon of the American stage in an hour when an artist of his large views and exquisite taste was peculiarly essential to the advancement of the theatrical art in this country. Our stage was then echoing, and only echoing, the traditions of a robust and pompous style of histrionism out of which the vitality had gone, leaving only sound and fury to tickle the ears of the groundlings. Mr. Booth, bluff and desolate, was a pale shadow of his once splendid self, and was eager to lay down the burden. Mr. Barrett, never conspicuous in the qualities of leadership, was able neither to sustain the glories of the old tradition nor to lead the way into fresh fields of achievement. In such an hour Mr. Mansfield came forward. He was young, ardent, ambitious, and he was blessed with a physical prowess that felt could shatter. He met great responsibilities and he seized great opportunities in an incomparable manner. For two decades he held the absolute mastery of our stage, and they were years in which that mastery was difficult to maintain. He had not alone to prove the pre-eminence of his art as an actor; that was comparatively easy. But he had also to hold, to amuse, and constantly to astonish the playgoing public of a country in which nothing was not glorified as an art but only paid for as an amusement. He had to confront commercial combinations that outraged every artistic sensibility he possessed and that discouraged all spirit of initiative among the players. He was a defiant man, and he knew not the easy ways to success. He could not be other than what nature made him, and nature made him a fighter. And so his life was feverish and the record of his achievements one long cry of battle.

Real Estate Transfers
T. R. Harper and wife to Carrie Whitcomb \$275 lot 6 blk. 2 Harper's sub div. of blk. 6, 7, Willard & Goodhue's Add. Beloit.
Daniel R. Sullivan to Samuel Brown, Jr. \$114 sq. ft. & w/2 of 0.2 of nw 1/4 sec. 4; also nw 1/4 of nw 1/4 & a 10 acres of 0.2 of nw 1/4 sec. 4 in town 1-12; also a 5 acres of 0.2 of so 1/4 of nw 1/4 sec. 3-2-11.
Anastasia Flinn to Daniel P. Flinn and Jack Flinn \$100 lots 31, 32 Chatham's Add. Janesville.
Helen Johnson to Arthur M. Madison \$250 lot 1 & a 18 inches lot 2 blk. 3 Walker's Add. Beloit.
Mary H. Kingsley to Wm. A. Klenbaum \$500 lot 1, nw 1/4 sec. 28-3-13.
Geo. P. Murray and wife to Mary Dornbaker \$1 w/2 lot 10 blk. 3 Strong 3d Add. Beloit.
Lucy Metcalf to J. W. Dwyer \$2647 and 1/2 of 0.2 of w/2 sec. 18-4-10.
Andrew McIntosh et al to John Brown \$350 lot 10 McIntosh Bros' Add. Beloit.
Alfred Stroud to Adelle M. Stroud \$1800 lot 28 blk. 1 Yates' Add. Beloit.
Eliza C. Sprague and husband to Mary A. Osborn \$1500 lot in w/2 sec. 28 town Milton.
Amelia M. Northrop to Frank P. Plerson \$1000 lot 182 Pense's 2d Add. Janesville.

HUMOROUS

Thorough, but Not Pedantic.



[Overheard at the Louvre.]
American Tourist (suspiciously)—Say, guide, haven't we seen this room before?

Guide—Oh, no, monsieur.
Tourist—Well, see here. We want to see everything, but we don't want to see anything twice!—Punch.

Where the Shoe Pinches.



The Single One—But even a married man has a right to his own opinion.
The Married One—It isn't a question of right, my dear fellow. It's a question of courage.—Philadelphia Press.

A Natty Joke.



Servant—Yus, Colonel Foutle, I caught this 'ere boy picking nuts in your woods, and he said he was picking 'em for the colonel.
Boy—Well, what did you think I was picking them for—the shell?

A Discovery.



"There is one thing I never realized until I began to eat my bread upon the water."
"And that is?"
"How many people are out for the dough!"—Philadelphia Press.

Oh, Aren't Men Brutes?



"Did you tell Jack what a perfect dream of a bull dress it was?"
"Yes. And he said he hoped he'd wake up before the bill came in!"—New York World.

Going Him One Better.



Chatty Old Gentleman (as they pass the asylum)—We got an excellent view of the asylum from the railway.
Esopied Lunatic—Ah, but you ought to see the railway from the asylum!—Sketch.

Want ads, bring results.

The Blessedness of Giving.

The tremendous benefactions of Carnegie and Rockefeller are having the effect, we are told, of giving the small-fry philanthropists cold feet and scaring them out of the game, until it comes to pass that the man who has only the beggarly \$100,000 or so, to bestow, evinces a decided disposition to buy fun less expensive, if likewise less intense with his money. This goes to suggest that philanthropists are but flesh and blood, after all, and banker not to enter in a race where they are to be not only beaten but distanced at the post. The widow's mite is unexceptionable, of course, and it seems a pity that nobody hears the widow's name thundering down the ages.—Puck.

Satisfied as it Was.

A Richmond (Va.) minister not long ago was asked to perform a marriage ceremony by a young negro couple, says Harper's Weekly. As he had employed the groom for a year or two, he consented, knowing what prestige would come to the couple by reason of having been married by a white minister. At the appointed time the happy pair arrived and the ceremony proceeded. "Do you take this man for better or for worse?" the minister asked. For all her shyness the bride spoke up bravely. "No, sah! Ah don't," she said. "Ah'll take him jest like he is. If he was ter get any better, I'd 'traid he'd die; an' if he was ter get any worse, ah'd kill him myself."

He Had 198 Chances.

Gov. Stuart of Pennsylvania said in Harrisburg of a bill that he opposed: "This bill, at first glance, is full of promise and enthusiasm and hope, but it is naive. It is like the young man of Kensington who proposed for the hand of the millionaire's daughter. 'Well,' said the millionaire, frowning thoughtfully, 'what are your prospects? Is there any chance of promotion in your business?' 'Any chance?' cried the young man. 'Well, I should say so. Why, we employ 200 men, and my job is next to the lowest in the establishment.'"

That Law Again.

For miles and miles the through passenger train had plodded along in the wake of the slow freight. The travelers grew irritable and even petulant. "Conductor," says one of the bold-est of them, "why do you not get that freight to take a sliding while we go by?" "Under the Hepburn law," explains the conductor, sadly, "we are not allowed to pass anything."—Success Magazine.

Where He Was Known.

"Who is this fellow Rush you spoke of?" "Oh, he's a well-known chauffeur." "That's what I said!" "Why, I never heard of him." "Well, you would if you were a court clerk, like I am!"

Buy It in Janesville.

To Win Success.

Entertain no thought of defeat, marshal your forces, put them in charge of those three invincible officers, "I will," "I can," and "I must," and you need not fear but you will win a glorious victory and plant your standard on the sun-kissed heights of success.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED at once—A porter at Empire Hotel.

FOR SALE—Carriage in good shape, also new dining weight dress with pale and thin first class shape. Call 25 North Third St.

WANTED, at once—Two boys to learn the printing trade. Call at office.

LOST Tuesday afternoon—Ribbon (100 from Jan. 100). Reward. 25 N. Third St.

WILL the party who took the black jacket from the Lincoln school steps please return same to this office, as they are known.

WANTED—Girl at cigar stand Myers Hotel. Inquire at office.

STRAYED from my premises last evening—Black cow with white on. Notify Walter Woodling, 9 Milton avenue.

FOR RENT—Ten-room house at 114 Lincoln St. Inquire Bell phone 8071; Rock county, Janesville.

FOR RENT—Steady furnished rooms one minute's walk from P. O. Bath, electric lights, outside entrance. Old phone 492.

How About Your Shaving Outfit?

If it is not complete

WETMORE

has everything you need. The right kind at the right prices.

German full concave Razors, honed ready for use, \$2.00 and \$2.50.

Best grade Razor Strop, 25c to \$2.50.

Shaving Mugs, china or aluminum, 25c to \$1.00.

Everlasting Lather Brushes, 25c to 60c.

Shaving Soap, Toilet Water, Face Cream, Talcum Powder, Hair Tonic and Shampoo, Manicure Goods, Pocket Knives.

WHOLESALE and RETAIL

Grand Hotel Block, Janesville, Wis.

MYERS THEATRE

PETER L. MYERS, MANAGER. 1870—37TH YEAR—1907

THE OLDEST THEATRE IN WISCONSIN.

New Phone 609. Wisconsin 5602.

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MATINEE AND NIGHT

Saturday, Sept. 7th

FRANK J. SARDAM

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The Season's Greatest Musical Offering

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LEADER

A Rollicking, Rhythmic, Musical Play With a Reason.

50 PEOPLE--50

And Ensemble of the Smartest Gowned Girls

12 BIG SONG HITS--12

PRICES—Matinee: Orchestra and 2 rows Circle, \$1.00;

balance Circle, 75c; first 2 rows Balcony, 75c; balance Balcony, 50c; children, 25c. Evening: Orchestra and 2 rows Circle, \$1.50; balance Circle, \$1.00; first 2 rows Balcony, \$1.00;

next four rows, 75c; remainder, 50c; Gallery, 25c.

Seats on sale Thursday at 9 o'clock.

Final Clearance

—OF—

UNDERWEAR.

SUMMER

Ladies' Gauze Vests, 10c quality, 5c.

Ladies' Gauze Vests, 15c quality, 10c.

Ladies' Gauze Vests, lace trimmed, extra sizes, 15c.

Ladies' Gauze Union Suits, low neck, short sleeves, 50c quality 29c.

Men's Balbriggan Underwear, this week, 39c.

Ladies' Muslin Gowns, specials this week at 49c, 69c and 89c.

Sample White Petticoats at wholesale prices. A great layout of above numbers.

YES—I'M PRETTY BUSY

—but not too busy.

I can still do more work in the upholstering and furniture repairing line.

Quite a number of people who first sent me only one article for refinishing have since sent a lot.

That looks as though they're pleased.

Suppose YOU try this plan.

Hugo H. Trebs

New phone 764.

54 N. Franklin St.

KODAK

Let the Kodak tell the story of the children—from the Teddy Bear days until home ties are broken. It's a fascinating story and you can make the pictures.

Let us show the Kodaks and how to work them.

SMITH'S PHARMACY

The Rexall Store.

Kodaks & Kodak Supplies.

Warning to Smokers.

John Lumbers, while riding a bicycle in a suburb of London, fell, and the stem of a pipe he was smoking pierced the roof of his mouth and, entering his brain, killed him.

ALBERT DUENOW

RURAL RTE. NO. 10.
Janesville

Says that he recently consulted Dr. Richards about his aching teeth. And he is most happy to state that the said Dr. extracted all his sore teeth without pain to him.

Now, if he can do this for Mr. Duenow, why can't he do so for YOU?

All you have to do is to choose him to do your dentistry. People come from all our surrounding towns to Janesville. Some from as far as Shullsburg. "To get the painless services of Dr. Richards."

And they get them.

And they go away pleased and satisfied.

He does the finest of work. His work wears and lasts.

Some people might here now have work in their mouths all O. K. yet, which he put in 10 years ago.

And he has the most important in these times of high prices.

His prices are the most reasonable in the city.

Office over Hall & Sayles.

CLEANERS AND DYERS

Spring Coats and Light Jackets Chemically Dry Cleaned.

Also Lace and Chenille Curtains, Organdies, Silks, Etc.

CARL F. BROCKHAUS
JANESVILLE, WIS.

\$77.75

A MONTH

IN ONLY NINE MONTHS' TIME

We sold yesterday we could have sold fifty dollars a month.

Therefore it's up to us to make good.

That's our strongest point.

We can always make good.

Read the following letter from one of our graduates who tells us he is getting \$77.75 a month in only nine months from the day he joined our school. He has a brother working for the same road who is doing even better.

NORTHERN PACIFIC RY. CO.
Ravalli, Mont., Aug. 26, 07.
Valentine's School of Telegraphy,
Janesville, Wis.

Dear Sir: I am going to drop you a few lines to let you know my promotion. I am now operator here, salary \$70 a month, and my overtime, amounting in all to \$77.75 a month. Not so bad, for it's only nine months since I first joined your school. I thank you many times for the help of your school and teachers.

Your old student,
E. P. LITTLE.

If Mr. Little's letter interests you, you might write him and ask him what he thinks of our school and its methods.

VALENTINE BROTHERS.

IF YOU want to buy that fine home of C. D. Childs at a low figure, now is your time. First come, first served. Nothing like it for the money in this city. Centrally located in the third ward. It is a bargain. Terms to suit.

D. CONGER.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

JANESVILLE, WIS.

At the close of business Aug. 22, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans	\$607,859.82
Overdrafts	686.77
United States Bonds	50,000.00
Other Bonds	192,493.36
Banking House	10,000.00
Due from Banks	\$168,530.90
Cash	73,311.97
Due from U. S. Treasurer	4,500.00
	\$1,107,182.88

LIABILITIES.

Capital	\$125,000.00
Surplus	85,000.00
Undivided Profits	38,620.46
Circulation Outstanding	50,000.00
Deposits	808,502.42
	\$1,107,182.88

With ample banking capital and strong cash reserve the First National Bank solicits the business of individuals, firms and corporations.

The Only Milk

that's always good—always pure—always to be depended on—always safe for baby or adult—is pasteurized milk, delivered in sterilized bottles.

JANESVILLE PURE MILK CO.
Gridley & Craft, Props.

WEDDED IN OLDEST OF CONG. CHAPELS

Miss Sallie Ervine and Eugene J. Reitter of Beloit Married in Lake Superior Island.

(Special to this Gazette.)

Beloit, Wis., Sept. 3.—In the oldest Congregational church in the north-west, the chapel on Madeline Island in Lake Superior, Miss Sallie Ervine and Eugene J. Reitter of this city were to be married this afternoon. The bride is a daughter of the former pastor of Emerson hall, the college dormitory for young ladies, and graduated from the high school here last year. The groom is a young business man. Madeline Island has been the bride's summer home for several years past and Mr. Reitter has spent several vacations there.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS.

Children's school suits half price. T. P. Duran.

Fresh fruits every day at Inzook's. Smoke "The Governor" the cigar.

Use Crystal Lake Ice.

Now fall skirts are now ready. Price the lowest. T. P. Duran.

School books, new and second hand, at Sutherland's.

Fresh, delicious bittersweets, Pappas. Smoke Lubal clear Havana cigars. Ice cream soda 5 cents. Phillips. Use Crystal Lake Ice.

WANTED—Clean cotton wiping rags at Gazette office. 3c a pound.

Get your school books at Sutherland's tonight.

Just received a large shipment of new fall suitcases which we have marked exceptionally low. T. P. Duran.

The quarterly meeting of the Rock County Chautauque Society will be held at their rooms Thursday, Sept. 5, at 7:30. In the evening a good attendance is desired. Jan. W. Scott, secretary.

WANTED—At once, two boys to learn the printing trade. Gazette office.

Sutherland's book store open evenings.

The "Tom Thumb Wedding" entertainment will be given in the M. E. church on Friday evening of this week. Tickets 25c and 15c for adults and 10c for children. Mrs. H. G. Arnold, president of Circle No. 1.

The children will entertain you delightfully if you go to the wedding Friday evening at the M. E. church. Tickets 25 and 15 cents.

Mayor "Shorbo" Becker, of Milwaukee, on Thursday, Sept. 26th, at the fair grounds at Jefferson will deliver an address on "The Value of Good Roads to the Farmer." Hear the "Good Roads" on this subject, one who has given considerable thought and attention.

Library Open Evenings: The public library will be open every evening from now on.

Art League Picnic Postponed: The annual picnic of the Janesville Art League which was to be held on Friday of this week, has been indefinitely postponed.

New Physician Here: Dr. Wm. A. Mann, who is to assist Dr. W. H. Palmer in his medical practice, arrived here this morning from Denver, Colo.

Rev. Denison Home: Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Denison have returned from a vacation outing which included a visit in Chicago and a sojourn at Burr Springs. Rev. Denison will conduct the prayer meeting Thursday evening and will occupy the pulpit on Sunday.

Tent Meeting Tonight: Evangelist D. E. Weaver will speak tonight on "The Sinner's Prayer" at the meeting to be held in the big tent on Milton avenue, near the Hyatt street intersection. Street-cars stop at the tent and everybody will be welcome.

Entertained at Dinner: Mrs. D. Parker entertained twelve ladies at a dinner party in the ordinary of the Hotel Myers this noon.

Marriage Licenses: Marriage licenses have been issued by County Clerk Lee to Edward A. Hughes and Esther Melville, both in this city.

James Madison Odegaard and Julia Mattila, daughter of Beloit, both in Webster and Erik Wegd of Beloit, and Leonard S. Carr and Mary McKen, also of the Line City.

William Cody Resigns: William F. Cody has resigned his position as Janesville representative of the Western Working Association. He is succeeded by Arthur Swanke, formerly of Rhineland.

Auto Party from St. Louis: F. N. Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. G. Calhoun of St. Louis arrived here in an automobile today and were registered this noon at the Myers hotel.

Brought from Beloit: Charles Jensen was brought here from Beloit today to serve a ten-day sentence in the county jail, having been convicted of drunkenness.

No Corn: Much Corn Whiskey: For the "streets" time in the last few months Thomas Nash stood before the bar of justice at Municipal court, this morning on the charge of drunkenness. Pleading guilty he explained that he had begun work at the canning factory yesterday, and that there was not enough corn to keep the gang busy so he came downtown, quite lawfully responded Judge Filch, and sentenced the offender to pay a fine of \$1.10 or spend eight days in jail. Nash hopes to secure the money for the fine. Thomas Kelley was summarily arraigned at the same time and was administered the same dose.

Unique Entertainment: Mr. and Mrs. George S. Parker, Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Penber and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sweeney will entertain at a unique party at Lake Koshong tomorrow, having issued invitations for a "Camping Picnic."

Revolving Crime in Beloit: Six-year-old Hazel Harvey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harvey who reside on Race street, Beloit, was criminally assaulted last week in the Willows near Turtle Creek by an unknown man, supposed to be an Italian laborer and may not recover. The man is believed to have been kept by Peter Pusano, but to have fled across the state line after his atrocious crime. Beloit police failed to notify the sheriff's office here and allowed the mere technicality of a state line to excuse them from prompt pursuit.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. P. N. Blakely returned to Janesville last evening after spending two months in North Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hockett have returned from an extensive trip through the east. They visited Niagara Falls, New York city, Washington, the Jamestown Exposition, Richmond, Va., Philadelphia and other places.

Mrs. John D. Webber and five children of Gratiot are here visiting at the homes of Joseph and Henry M. Webber.

Mrs. Eleanor King went home to Milwaukee this afternoon after a visit with Janesville friends.

E. Roger Whiggin of Oxfordville and Miss Lucille Hawk of Postville attended the show here last evening.

Shorty Fisher was a business visitor in Janesville yesterday.

Mrs. Edward Schmidt, and son Edward, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Schmidt's mother, Mrs. Johanna Kaemphlo, returned to their home in Chicago this morning.

Harold H. Myers was here from Madison yesterday and today.

Miss Jessie Hlyea of Watworth is the guest of local friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Thorpe are spending the week at Lake Kegonsa. W. H. Phillips of Evansville was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. H. H. Segers has received a two-pound muskungee from her son-in-law, William E. Smith, who is enjoying an outing at Clear Lake, near Tomahawk, Wis.

H. H. Baker has recovered from his recent illness and is again able to be at work.

Wallace Mills was in Madison yesterday to make arrangements for room and board, having planned to attend Wisconsin university.

W. H. Hanger of Broadhead is spending the week here.

Miss Ethel Wood has returned to Chicago after a visit with her grandmother, Mrs. H. H. Segers.

David Griffin, Mary Joyce, John Sheridan, Ed Schmidt and Richard Nash were among those who went to Evansville this noon to witness the races at the fair.

Horatio Nelson is in Milwaukee today attending the annual convention of the Wisconsin Funeral Directors' association.

The Misses Edna Kilmer and Hattie Hengney went to Chicago this morning to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Sullivan.

William E. Clinton transacted business in Beloit today.

Mrs. Thomas F. Norton and children have returned to Chicago after a week's visit in the city.

Officer John Brown is enjoying a fortnight's vacation and Officer William Mason is taking his place.

Mrs. Lyman Morse enjoyed a visit this week from Mrs. A. E. Heath of Eau Claire, supervising state deputy for the J. W. Nelsons.

Officer George Riley of the West Chicago station is the guest of local friends.

"COMING THRO' RYE" SCORED A BIG HIT

Finished Performance of Musical Comedy Given by Splendid Company of Singers and Actors at Myers Theatre.

It was a clean-cut, finished performance, with no hesitations and falterings, and the traditional "first night" awkwardness reduced to a negligible minimum. Five hundred enthusiastic spectators and listeners demanded encore after encore from the brilliant retinue of gaily-garbed singers, dancers, and comedians "Coming Thro' the Rye," and long after the last curtain had been rung down and raised and lowered again, wayfarers homeward bound softly hummed and whistled the lilting melodies. While the attendance was very good and the receipts in the neighborhood of \$500, it was felt that a production of this magnitude and merit deserved somewhat better of the people of Janesville and an effort is to be made to secure a "company" home for a return engagement next Monday.

The company of a large check to help defray the extraordinary expenses of mounting the production, which was due last evening, left the company with a \$200 hotel bill and other liabilities, threatening to prevent their departure for Oshkosh on an early morning train and was the cause of considerable embarrassment and annoyance for a time. But everything was satisfactorily adjusted through the efforts of Cecil Leam and the management.

The play, minus the splendid song numbers, striking tableaux, and ballets, might be called "The Strange Adventures of the English Language," at the hands of the socially ambitious "Mrs. Newly-Rich Knott" of Newport and "Cactus Claude" of the bounding prairies, rustlers and implacable foes in the borderland of Etymology, with special interference by "Nott," the tailor seeking pay for a pair of trousers, an English lord, an artist, a society grosser, an artist's model, a bogus Swedish countess, an Indian warrior, and numerous other characters. Cecil Leam as the whimsical and trusting "Nott," with his lament and apple-faced smile, was instantly in the favor of the audience, his topical song "And the Ship Went Round the Bend" scoring a big hit. Mable Adlington was immense as the chief offender against the dictionary and E. H. Calver's character study of the English lord was one of the best offerings of the evening. That William Riley Hatch does not have more to do in the play is to be regretted as he is a past master in "big and belated" parts like that of the cowboy, "Claude." He is also a gifted singer and his rendition of "Mary, My Prairie Fairy" was greeted with great applause. Tom Chisholm's "Dreaming" song was another offering which found favor, and this gifted vocalist and the golden voiced Alma Yonkin completely captivated their hearers in the second act with the dainty "Childhood Days."

After that Miss Yonkin carried them away on a song cruise to the mysterious shores of India in "My Pearl of Singapore." "I Know a Girl Like You," by Miss Adlington, Messrs. Cameron and Cooper; "The Girl From the Golden West," rendered by Miss Florence Townsend, the cowgirl, mounted on the white broncho, in an effective and beautiful scene, were other song-hits. In fact all of the

songs came under this classification and nearly every member of the well-balanced cast had his opportunity in this direction and used it well.

The dancing of Miss Alma May Stahle, who was seldom as "Lizette," the maid—the "double breakdown" by Justin J. Cooper at the close of his song with the minstrel band, and the evolutions of the dancing dolls, also pleased. The chorus, considering the brief period of preparation, was remarkably well drilled and could sing. At least one vocalist of considerable attainment—Miss Hesterina Brown, a University of Chicago young woman who has been studying music in Berlin and who appears on the stage for the first time—was with them. She is to understudy Miss Yonkin. Brand new costumes and fine scenic effects should also be credited for their part in the successful and pleasing presentation. Taken all in all, the prediction may be hazarded that no finer musical play and company will be seen in Janesville this season.

AGED RESIDENT DIED AT HOME THIS NOON

Mrs. Caroline S. Leavitt Succumbed to Severe Illness at Age of 70 Years.

Suffering from a recent illness caused by a complication of diseases, Mrs. Caroline S. Leavitt, an old resident of this city, died at 11:45 this morning at her home, 114 Madison street. The deceased had reached the age of 70 years, she having spent the last 39 years of her life as a resident of this city. Mrs. Hughes of St. Louis, came to this city to take care of her sister during her illness. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

J. O. Hopkins.

The funeral of J. O. Hopkins was held from the late residence, 111 Pearl street, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The funeral services being conducted by M. P. Richardson, pastor of the Christian Science faith. Interment was made in the cemetery at Afton.

REV. W. A. GOEBEL BUYS OAK LAWN PROPERTY

Purpose for Which It is to be Used is Not Yet Disclosed—Consideration About \$4,000.

The property on North Hickory street, formerly owned by Mrs. Jennie Howles and known as "Oak Lawn," was this morning purchased by Rev. W. A. Goebel. The consideration was in the neighborhood of \$4,000. The purpose for which the property is to be used will not be disclosed for several days.

RAT DOES TRAPEZE ACT.

Walke Telegraph Wire, Drset by Sparrows Until the End.

A gray rat walking along an electric wire 30 feet above the ground for many blocks furnished a novelty on West Baltimore street. The feat, which exceeds that of any trick rat ever exhibited in a show, would seem a dream of the imagination but for the fact that the spectacle is absolutely vouched for by thousands of persons who watched the strange sight from six o'clock until eight. Beaten by a number of English sparrows, which seemed to take a friendly delight in attacking the badly handicapped rodent, he at times varied his steady gait along the wire by acrobatic performances calculated to ward off the attacks of the birds. He would sit up on his hanches on the slender wire, no larger than a lead pencil, and reconnoiter before continuing his hapless journey from pole to pole. After a most gallant fight for life, which deserved a fair play, the unfortunate animal was finally knocked from the wire at Carrollton avenue and Baltimore street and dispatched by a dog. Just how the rat got on the wire in the first place has not been satisfactorily explained, but it is thought that a dog chased him somewhere—some persons say as far east as the neighborhood of Howard and Baltimore streets—and forced him to run up a pole—Baltimore Dispatch to Washington Post.

Fatigue and Character.

Just as fatigue lessens our ability to withstand diseases—which attack the physical man—so it lessens our ability to withstand temptations, which attack the moral man. This is not because the temptations are more numerous, but because there is less energy of resistance.—World's Work.

Buy It in Janesville.

MERCHANTS AND MECHANICS SAVINGS BANK

We cordially invite the business of individuals, firms, societies and corporations, and feel confident that our ample resources and superior facilities will render association with us permanently agreeable and profitable.

Ladies are especially invited to avail themselves of our many conveniences. We are glad to handle checking or savings accounts, whether large or small.

3 per cent interest paid on savings deposits.

Modern safe deposit boxes for rent on very reasonable terms.

DEPARTED TODAY FOR PANAMA CANAL ZONE

Mrs. M. A. Heath Will Sail for Colon on Monday Next—Goes to Join Husband at Empire.

Mrs. M. A. Heath, daughter of Dr. J. H. Dudley, departed this noon for Baltimore, from whence she will take passage on a steamer for the Panama canal zone, on Monday next. After arriving at Colon she will proceed to the town of Empire where Mr. Heath, who is engaged in engineering work for Uncle Sam, is located. Unless the climate is found unsuitable, she will remain in the canal zone until spring.

YOUNG MAN JAILED ON SERIOUS CHARGE

Howard Spencer Held for Trial on Complaint Made in Behalf of Mary Czischka.

On a serious charge, Howard Spencer, a Janesville boy about twenty years of age, was examined in municipal court this morning and held for trial on the ninth of the month. The complaint against him was made in behalf of Mary Czischka, also of this city.

Tot Run Over by Wagon: While playing about a wagon, standing on Center avenue yesterday, three-year-old Hattie Carlin was run over by the wheels of the vehicle, the horse having suddenly started. No bones were broken but internal injuries may have been inflicted.

Die in City Tenements.

In New York city tenements 37 children under one year old are dying each day.

We Are Doing A

Credit Business

As there are many who believe we are still doing a strictly cash business, we wish to state that while, for good reasons, we started in Janesville on that system, we have for several years been doing a thirty day credit business.

We send our statement of accounts the first of every month, unless otherwise arranged.

We are well equipped to handle this business and welcome all such accounts with responsible parties.

DEDRICK BROS.

NASH

CORNER STONE, THE BEST PATENT FLOUR ON EARTH, \$1.35.

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR \$1.35.

PILLSBURY'S BEST XXXX FLOUR \$1.35.

SWANSDOWN PASTRY FLOUR 25c.

3 LBS. RIPE TOMATOES 10c.

LOMBARD PLUMS 10c BOX.

CALIFORNIA PLUMS 70c BSK.

4 LBS. BULK MACARONI 25c.

LARGE, WAXY 240 SIZE LEMONS 35c.

WAFER SLICED DRIED BEEF, BOILED HAM, BACON.

BEST 50c TEA ON EARTH.

BEST 25c COFFEE ON EARTH.

ST. CHARLES' EVAPORATED MILK 10c.

EAGLE CONDENSED MILK 18c.

SUNNY MONDAY SOAP.

HOME LUXURY COFFEE 20c LB.

SALT HERRING, MACKEREL, SALMON.

7 SANTA CLAUS OR LENOX SOAP 25c.

6 OLD COUNTRY SOAP 25c.

SPECIAL—BALANCE OF WEEK, 6 AMERICAN FAMILY SOAP 25c.

ICE CREAM SALT, 10-LB. SACK 10c.

SILVER CREAM SILVER POLISH.

3 LEWIS LYE 25c.

3 CHLORIDE OF LIME 25c.

3 JELL-O, ANY FLAVOR, 25c.

CAMPBELL'S SOUPS, GOOD GOODS.

CAULIFLOWER, 10c EACH.

POTATOES, 20c PK., 75c BU.

TO BUILD BELOIT'S NEW HIGH SCHOOL

The J. P. Cullen Company of This City Secured \$92,525 Contract Last Evening.

The J. P. Cullen Company of this city will build the new \$120,000 high school at Beloit, having secured the contract last evening. The local concern's bid was \$92,525, though nearly every Beloit contractor and others figured on the work. The structure is to be of vitreous brick with stone trimmings and the site of the old building will be used as a location. Work is to begin at once.

PLAT OF ADDITION TO CITY OF EDGERTON FILED HERE

In the register of deeds' office at the courthouse has been filed a plat for a new addition to the city of Edgerton. The drawings and description are of the McIntosh and other subdivisions of a part of lot 4 of the Town and other subdivisions. The land thus converted from farm into city real estate is owned by James McIntosh, Mary E. Barton, Priscilla Dickinson Spilke, S. W. Wilman and John Bowen.

Growers Take Notice.

The Canning Factory is now in operation and all growers having Sweet Corn ready, will please begin delivery at once. It would be well for you to investigate your growing corn of Sweet Corn, so as to get your corn to the factory in proper condition.

P. HOENADEL JR., CO.

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Suburban News in Brief

HANOVER. Sept. 2.—Henry Denning of Milwaukee visited at F. O. Dehling's Monday.

Gertrude and Ruth Hemmingsway returned home Monday from Random Lake, where they have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. Voght.

Mrs. Zenow of Janesville visited at Mrs. Clara Seidmore last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Uehling and Gretchen attended at Shoplery Wednesday.

Miss Polly and Maud Dettmer attended the picnic at Afton Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Hoover and son, Clarence of Deloit, called at H. C. Dettmer's Saturday.

Joe Flint, who has been working in Deloit, spent Sunday at home.

Laura Spratt of Mineral Point and Mrs. Mattie Spratt of Deloit are visiting at Mrs. E. G. Brown's.

Henry Uehling of Watertown spent Sunday at F. O. Dehling's.

Those from here who are going to high school are Maurice Brown, Richard Ehringer, Ruth Hemmingsway and June Robinson.

Maudie Burkenhagen is going to Business college in Janesville.

Mrs. E. G. Brown and Mrs. Will Ehringer start Tuesday for a trip to Buffalo, Jamestown and Washington D. C.

Wm. Shabel and wife of Deloit were over Sunday visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Shabel's.

UTTERS CORNERS.

Utters Corners, Sept. 2.—S. Sprackling of Whitewater, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sprackling and son, Geo., of Janesville.

John Teetshorn and family of Richmond, Frank Waltrant and family and then Volght spent Sunday, August 25 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Teetshorn.

Harley Cary was a recent visitor at the home of his uncle Geo. Hull.

Mrs. Myrtle Rice of Delavan visited her mother, Mrs. Warner Hurdley last week.

The L. A. S. met with Mrs. Geo. Hoxham Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Susan Sprackling returned to her home in Whitewater Friday after spending a week with her daughters, Mesdames Wm. and Fern Teetshorn and Frank Waltrant.

Mrs. Luther Smith of Whitewater, spent the past week with her sister Mrs. Samuel Hull.

Mr. and Mrs. James Haight of Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haight of Harmony, Mrs. James Smith and daughter Clara and Fern Bowers of Whitewater were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hull the 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jones of Johnston, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cook Sunday.

Miss Anna Kirchhoff of Millard spent a few days recently with her friend Mrs. R. C. Wetmore.

The Misses Mary Sholdo, Roscoe Dond and Elmer Welch are attending school at Whitewater.

Miss Nellie Brown of Waukesha commenced her year's work as teacher in district No. 7, Monday.

School commenced in district No. 11 Monday, with Miss Blanche Kildow as teacher.

Mrs. H. W. Farnsworth spent Friday at the home of her brother L. W. Farnsworth in Whitewater.

Mrs. Ray Farnsworth and children and Miss Nellie Farnsworth spent Wednesday at the Bishop home in Richmond.

Miss Anna Hoxham led the Epworth meeting at the church here Sunday night. The topic was "The Divine Call." The meeting was very interesting.

Miss Anna Hoxham was the guest of Miss Nettie Farnsworth Sunday afternoon.

Miss Edna Sherman spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at Elkhor.

Van Sturdevant and family entertained relatives from Delavan Sunday.

Miss Havaland of Janesville commenced her school here Monday.

EMERALD GROVE.

Emerald Grove, Sept. 2.—Mrs. Ed Smith of Deloit was the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Boynton, over Sunday.

Mr. Wm. Davis of Waupun, Wis., shook hands with old time friends in this locality.

Miss McArthur has returned from a visit with Whitewater relatives.

Leon Jones and wife spent Sunday and Monday at the Grove.

Mr. Rekey of Deloit, an earnest Sunday school worker and representative of the American Sunday School Union, gave us a brief but interesting talk from the pulpit on last Sunday.

Mrs. Davidson is entertaining her friend, Mrs. Doug. of St. Charles, Ill.

Mrs. Davidson and children, of Chicago, were recent visitors at the home of J. A. McArthur.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Westley are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl last Saturday.

Several from this community attended the wedding of the Misses Hattie and Florence Scott at Avalon last Monday afternoon.

AVALON.

Avalon, Sept. 2.—Remember the date of the "Plot Display" given by the Ladies' Auxiliary at the Emerald

FIX UP THE SCREENS

A CHILD CAN APPLY IT.

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PREVENTS RUST. ALMOST INSTANTLY.

If you dealer hasn't it H. L. McNamara has.

Grove church parlors, September 2, afternoon and evening. Baby exhibit will be called at three o'clock p. m. sharp. Entries are open to every one. The committee in charge would like all interested to add the following list to their premium lists. The person bringing the largest collection of entries without receiving a prize—salad dish, by Mrs. Robt. Jones. The largest rose in circumference—25c, by Frank Lloyd. The most beautiful vine—1st, photo, Mrs. Will Duthie; 2nd, 25c, Miss Flora Thomas. Duthie the best display—1st, 50c, by Mrs. H. P. Irish; 2nd, 25c, by Mrs. Tom Jones. The best plate of apples—1st, 50c, by Mrs. Wm. Crocker; 2nd, 25c, by Mrs. P. Vannore; 3rd, 25c, by Mrs. Westby St.

Mrs. Clarence Oliver is entertaining a cousin.

Mr. Wood of Chicago is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Duthie. Master Palmer Potter of Milwaukee spent a few days the past week with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Dunker.

Mr. Voltz of Chicago is spending a few days with his son, J. R. Voltz and family.

The Ladies' Aid Society was well attended at the home of Mrs. E. H. Hanson.

School opens Tuesday morning, September 3, with Miss Anna De Lano as teacher.

John and Wm. Waugh entertained a cousin from Chicago a few days.

Mr. Moore of Genoa, Ind., called at Wm. Deane's one day last week.

Leslie Barker of Clinton spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Dunker.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Draeger entertained about seventy relatives and friends at dinner Sunday.

SHOPIERS.

Shoppers, Sept. 2.—The thermometer registered 90 degrees in the shade Sunday.

Thrashing is nearly done in this vicinity.

Miss Emma Gardiner from Janesville has been spending a few days with friends.

Edward Schoeberle and Henry Peterlee have gone to Ferguson, North Dakota, to work with a thrashing rig.

A. H. King, from Chicago, spent the week with local friends.

Charles Stark is improving his home with new shingles on his house and a new fence about his premises.

The Congregational and Methodist Sunday schools enjoyed a picnic together in Spicer's wood last Saturday p. m.

The C. & N. W. railway has a gang of Austrians at Tiffany Station, traveling and raising the tracks.

MAGNOLIA.

Magnolia, Sept. 2.—The Misses Margaret Lee and Grace Corcoran were the guests of Helen Lee Saturday night.

Mrs. Mary Duval and son Merritt of Elgin, Ill., were the guests of Mrs. Lottie Edwards and daughter Minnie a part of last week and this.

E. B. McCoy and family, Fred Woodstock and family, Herb Lee and family, Mrs. L. Edwards and daughter, Mrs. Duval and son, and Frank Woodstock were fishers and pleasure-seekers at Sugar river Saturday.

The brothers and sisters of Mrs. J. L. Stewart, who went to attend the latter's husband's funeral, returned Saturday.

Mr. Seegars was a Janesville caller Friday.

Mrs. Lottie Edwards was a visitor at the county farm and her son Fred's in Janesville Monday and Tuesday.

Herb Lee will serve on the police force at the state fair this week.

Miss Blanche Huskirk of Plymouth was the guest of Miss Jessie Worthling Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Minnie Edwards began teaching in the Logan district Monday.

ORFORDVILLE.

Orfordville, Sept. 2.—Mrs. Flora Schilling of Evansville visited at J. L. Lackner's the first of last week.

H. C. Taylor attended a Berkshire hog sale at Kirkville, Mo., last week.

Miss Irene Trostman of Deloit, who has been visiting at Nick Larson's for several days, returned home last Tuesday.

Miss Julia Dalhen is spending a few weeks at home.

Miss Anna C. Bathum went to Cambridge on Saturday to spend a few weeks.

Mrs. Carrie Dickey, nee Harris, of Grady Center, Iowa, arrived on Saturday for a few days' visit.

Messrs. and Mesdames John Beck and Ed. Egan who have been spending a couple weeks in the northern part of the state returned home last Saturday.

Miss Cora Smith informally entertained the following of her young lady friends on Thursday at a five o'clock tea: Mildred and Lela Dunn, Eva and Hazel Sotzer, Maudie and Jessie Kelley, Adella and Emma Sater, Katharine Wiggin, Ethel Compton, Nellie Nolly, Nancy Hurley, Verma Mowe and Nina Long.

The Beck school district have painted and papered their school house and have also installed a heating plant.

Miss Lydia Schumacher, teacher, began the school on Monday.

Mrs. Tillie Heggard and children returned home on Saturday after visiting for several weeks with relatives at Twin Valley, Minn.

Miss Schumacher of Janesville began her school at the Center school on Monday.

Mrs. S. Cleveland returned home last Saturday after spending a couple of weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Smiley of Antigo.

LA PRAIRIE.

La Prairie, Sept. 2.—Mrs. Will Adamson of Milwaukee was the guest of Mrs. Ash Lane last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stokes of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Parker and son called at John Stokes', Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Gleason attended the Janesville Machine shop picnic at Yost park Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Terry spent a part of last week at Lake Koshkonong.

Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson is getting along as well as could be expected.

Miss Ruth Sherman visited at Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Craundt's, Friday, and attended the picnic at Yost park Saturday.

Miss Marjorie Akeley of Janesville was the guest of Mrs. Ash Lane, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Sherman entertained Mr. and Mrs. Fred Riesen of Milwaukee from Saturday until Sunday.

FELLOWS.

Fellows, Sept. 2.—Earle and Glenn Fellows spent Sunday in Evansville.

Mrs. O. C. Olson is spending a few days in Janesville, with her mother, who is very ill.

Mabel Barnard entertained Miss Helen Baines of Janesville a few days last week.

Mrs. D. Allen and daughter, Mrs. Will Weary, have gone to Illinois to help care for the former's daughter, Mrs. Joe Lawlor, who is very ill.

Mrs. Fred Fellows was a Janesville visitor Tuesday.

Everyone is planning on attending the Rock county fair at Evansville this week.

Iverson Jones of Janesville has been visiting Harold Griffith the past week.

Walter Pierce and Miss Zara Pierce were Sunday visitors at C. L. Pierce's.

JOHNSTOWN.

Johnstown, Sept. 2.—P. J. McFarlane and George returned from Milton and Port Atkinson Friday after a ten days' visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Walter Kelly and daughters are visiting her mother, Mrs. O. Maloy of Janesville.

Ethel Hull is spending the week with her cousin, Elizabeth Pomboly, at Barkers Corners.

Mrs. James Mullen and Master Roy have returned to their home in Madison.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mansor of Milton visited at the home of their son, E. Mansor, Friday of last week.

Mrs. Grace Catlin of Milton Junction is spending a few days' vacation at the home of P. J. McFarlane.

Mrs. Francis Randall moved to Janesville and Harold Randall accompanied her and will attend school the coming year.

Misses Mary and Carrie Ivo were Friday guests at the home of J. T. Barless.

Mr. and Mrs. David Zull and family of Whitewater and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Carter and family were Sunday guests at the home of J. W. Jones.

Will Cook and family spent Sunday at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Wm. Calkin, and family.

The McKellips home is under quarantine. John McKellips is ill with scarlet fever.

Mrs. C. Crech has been entertaining her two sisters from Rome and Dousman.

Miss Mary Ivo has returned to her duties at the Milton high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandt have moved back to their old home at Limeridge.

Mrs. E. Austin is entertaining her niece, Myrtle Pett of Palmyra.

Mary and Jay Taylor are attending Milton high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Beth and Miss Edna Chadhill of Elgin are guests of H. Austin.

Miss Proctor of La Prairie will teach the school at the Center this fall.

Miss Howarth of Janesville will begin school in the Morton district Sept. 8.

Mrs. James Mullen visited at Mrs. L. Nickerson's, Monday afternoon.

A Janesville ball team played the Johnstown team Sunday. The score was 16 to 6 in favor of Janesville.

Miss Elizabeth McGowan has returned home from the northern part of the state from a visit at the home of her brother James.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Haight visited in Janesville Saturday at the home of their cousin, Mrs. S. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson of Delavan drove out to R. W. Taylor's, Sunday, to pick berries and they all enjoyed a picnic dinner at the woods.

BRODHEAD.

Brodhead, Sept. 4.—Miss Lola Rowe is expected home from Chicago on Saturday to remain over Sunday.

Miss Minnie Ives has returned from a several weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Lanta Ward, in western Montana.

Margie Cronk of Madison is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Olson returned Monday evening from a visit to Rockford.

The following young men of this city expect to attend the University of Wisconsin the coming year: Dalton Howard, Roger Moore, Morde Anderson, and Ralph Hartman.

Fred Barnes of Chicago is the guest of his mother and sister for a few days.

Willis Harner is the guest of Janesville friends for a week.

Mrs. Martha Snyder of Janesville, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Armeta Gardner.

Henry Ousgard of Stoughton was an over Sunday guest with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Ousgard.

Mrs. Kittie Kickpatrick and two children of Aberdeen, South Dakota, who have been visiting at the home of the lady's mother, Mrs. Kate Stewart, left Tuesday for their home accompanied by Miss Anna Stewart, who will remain some months.

Mr. Chas. Mordock has gone to El Paso, Texas, on a business trip.

Howard Stone left on Monday for Dixon, Ill., to attend the Toppins Commercial school.

Walter Tilly has returned from a trip to South Dakota points.

Albert Gilbert, wife and child, of Harahan, have been here on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gilbert.

Wesley Welshouse has returned from an extended visit in Forsyth, Montana, and Albert Lee, Minn.

D. E. Austin and daughter, Miss Grace Austin, have been in Deloit and Rockford for a week past.

Joel W. DeWeese is dead.

Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 4.—Joel W. DeWeese, solicitor of the Burlington Railroad company for the lines west of the Missouri, died at his home here Tuesday after a brief illness, aged 61 years. He was a veteran of the civil war. Mr. DeWeese's service as attorney for the Burlington probably antedated that of any other man in the legal department of the road.

Stop and Then Rush.

Where will woman stop? asks the Roanoke World. Wherever there appears an ad reading, "Was \$7; now \$6.99."—Washington Herald.

AMERICA'S PLAN WINS APPROVAL

CONTRACTUAL DEBTS PROPOSED ACCEPTED BY COMMITTEE.

VICTORY OF GEN. PORTER

Switzerland Has Not Yet Acted and The Argentine Maintains Original Reserves on the Subject.

The Hague, Sept. 4.—Gen. Horacio Porter, of the American delegation to the peace conference, led his proposal for the collection of contractual debts to practically unanimous approval Tuesday by the committee of examination, and at the conclusion of the meeting he was the recipient of many congratulations upon the success of his efforts.

The importance of this American proposition, it is pointed out, lies in the principle which it establishes rather than in its practical application, which may be very seldom.

Porter Answers Objections.

Gen. Porter met all the objections raised with ready argument, and finally brought all the countries represented, debtor as well as creditor countries, into line with the single exception of Switzerland, which is neither a debtor nor a creditor country.

There is reason to believe, however, that even the Swiss government will sign the convention with reserve regarding the matter of jurisdiction.

Dr. Drago, while he cast Argentine's vote in favor of Gen. Porter's proposal

for the reason that it establishes obligatory arbitration in matters relating to contractual debts, declared Argentine maintained her original reserves on the subject.

Goes to Plenary Sitting.

Only 13 countries, including Brazil, Mexico and Argentina, were represented on the committee of examination, and Gen. Porter's proposition, as it has been modified, must be submitted for approval to a plenary sitting of the committee of arbitration, upon which all the nations are represented.

The Austro-Hungarian proposal in the matter of obligatory arbitration was practically wrecked by Tuesday's vote, as the majority in favor thereof was smaller than that which supported the British proposition on the same subject.

There probably will be a plenary sitting of the entire conference on September 7.

HOTEL GUESTS IN PANIC.


Blaze Causes Terror in the Palmer House, Chicago.

Chicago, Sept. 4.—Guests of the Palmer house, more than 600 in number, became panic stricken and left their rooms in a spectacular flight at 11 o'clock Tuesday night, when a fire started in the basement of one of the shops in the building.

Smoke from the blaze penetrated the offices, corridors and chambers of the big hotel and started the alarm which was increased by the arrival of the fire engines.

The fire which damaged the fur shop of John T. Shyne & Co., 167-169 State street, caused a loss estimated at \$25,000. Some smoke damage was also reported in the neighboring shop of Dunlap & Co. No one was injured.

Read the want ads.



"10 cents for Malta-Vita."

I'm off to the grocer's with a 'whoop.' It's fine for you as well as me.

A dime's worth of Malta-Vita does more good than several dimes' worth of meat.

The malt's a tonic.

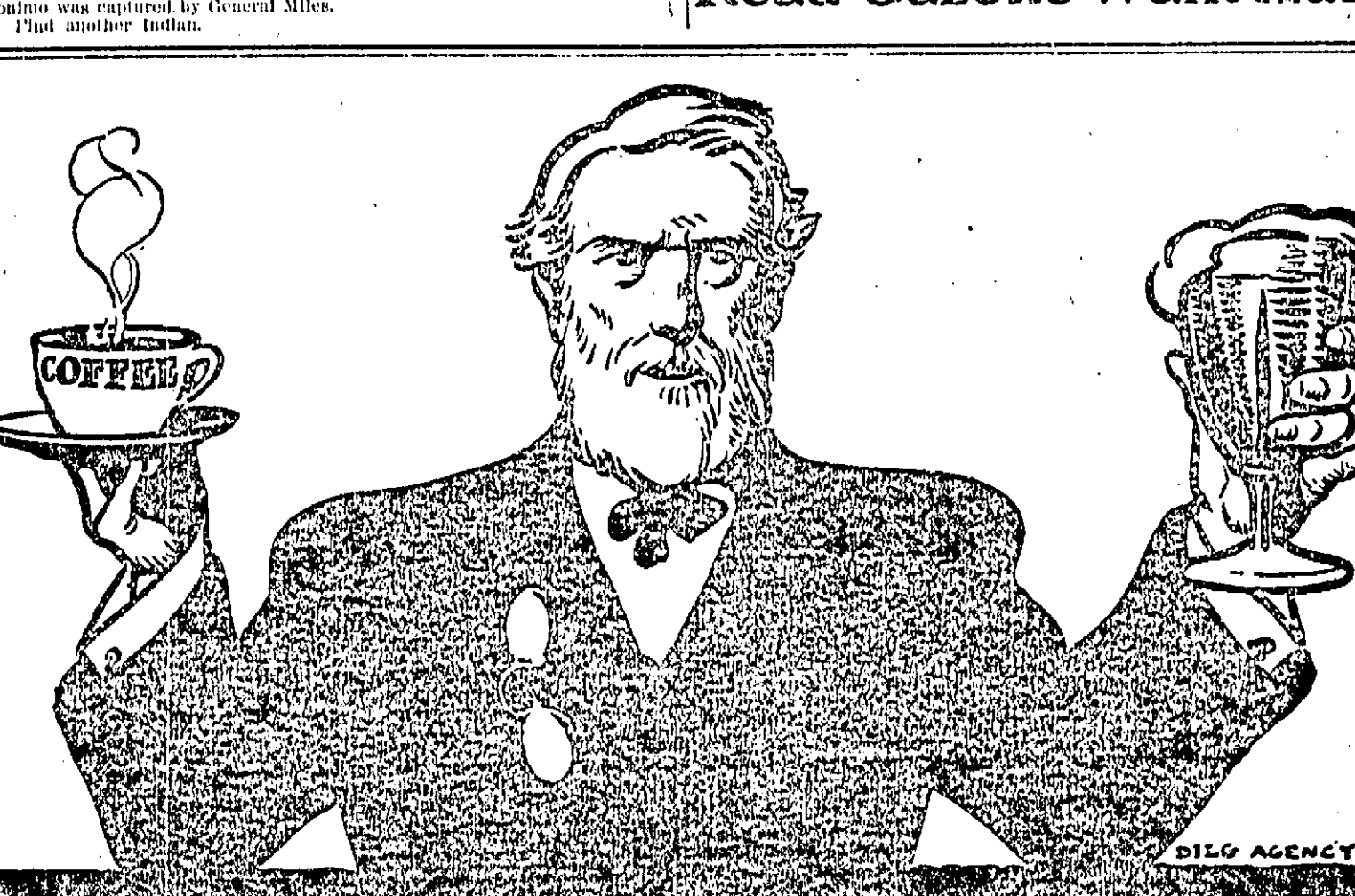
The best cereal that ever went onto a table.

10c, all grocers.

S.S.S. HEALS OLD SORES

An old sore or ulcer is only a symptom, an outlet for the impurities and poisons which are in the blood, and as long as this vital fluid remains in this impure, contaminated state the place will never heal. The application of salves, washes, powders, etc., may cause the spot to scab over, but a fresh outpouring of diseased matter from the blood starts it again, and thus it goes on, gradually growing worse and slowly affecting the entire health of the sufferer. There are many ways in which the blood becomes contaminated and poisoned. A long spell of sickness breeds disease germs in the system, the failure of the eliminative members to remove the refuse and waste matter of the body, the excessive use of mineral medicines in certain diseases, all infect the blood with morbid matter and germs which sooner or later is manifested by a sore that refuses to heal. Persons with inherited blood taint are very apt to be afflicted with sores and ulcers. The taint may lie dormant during young, vigorous life, but when middle age is reached or passed, and the natural energies begin to grow weaker, the tissues in some weak point break down and a chronic sore is formed and kept open by the constant drainage of impure matter from the blood. If the cause is not removed the sore will continue to grow worse by eating deeper into the flesh, festering, discharging, and slowly undermining the constitution. S. S. S. heals old sores by going down to the very bottom of the trouble, driving out the impurities and building up the entire circulation. When S. S. S. has removed the cause the blood becomes rich and healthy, the sore begins to heal, new flesh is formed, and soon the place is cured. Do not depend on external applications, which do not reach the blood, but begin the use of S. S. S. and remove of the cause, and then the sore must heal. Book on Sores and Ulcers and medical advice free. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

Read Gazette Want Ads.



Take Your Choice—a Drug or a Food

Physicians of the highest scientific attainments unite in declaring that coffee is a form of slow poison—a pernicious drug. They point out that it darkens the blood, clogs the liver, colors the skin, weakens the heart's action and ruins the digestion of all who drink it. On the other hand, doctors declare that a pure bottled beer, properly brewed from Malt and Hops, and fully aged, like

Gund's Peerless Beer

is a most wholesome and delicious beverage. Gund's Peerless Beer being made from malted barley, is essentially a "food-stuff" of high nutritive value. If drunk regularly with meals it clears the liver, enriches the blood, brightens the skin, stimulates the gastric secretions and wonderfully promotes the digestive process. Thus it is that the beer-drinking races of men are the healthiest and in the forefront of the World's progress.

Professor Moleschott, the celebrated German savant, says: "A good beer is as nutritious as fruit. Fermented liquors taken in moderation increase the secretions of the digestive juices and promotes the assimilation of food."

PEERLESS BEER won the Gold Medal at the St. Louis Exposition for highest excellence. Contains less than 3 1/2% of alcohol, therefore is really a temperance drink. Doctors prescribe it for the weak and sick. Used at all high-class health resorts. Delivered at homes on request by phone or mail. Sold at all cafes, saloons, hotels and buffets. Bottled only at brewery.

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THE GRIP OF HONOR

Cyrus Townsend Brady,

Author of "The Southerner," "In the Whirl of War," etc.

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"What advantage would that be to me?" he asked her.

"Well, there is little use in our discussing it any more," she answered, "for you cannot reach either ship now before it is over. The wind has gone over to them, and we are still."

"Ah, but I have another way of getting along."

"How is that?"

"I shall row," he said quietly. "Will you take the tiller?"

"No," she replied defiantly, folding her arms. "I will not help you at all."

"Elizabeth! Elizabeth!" he murmured.

"I will not, I tell you!" she said.

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Chapter XVIII.

THE BOYS IN COMMAND.

"The ship is clear, sir," said Lieutenant Richard Dale, smilingly.

He was a handsome, dashing young sailor, the picture of sea gallantry as he ran lightly up the ladder from the main deck and stopped before the little captain of the Bonhomme Richard.

standing on the weather side of the poop surveying the scene.

"Very good, sir," said the little man, nodding his head, but not turning toward his executive officer. "Look yonder," he added, pointing ahead and toward the shore. "What do you make that, sir?"

"It cannot be the Alliance!" exclaimed Dale in great surprise, as he shaded his eyes and gazed intently in the direction of the setting sun at a large war ship which was edging in toward the harbor of Scarborough, which apparently sheltered a numerous convoy of merchant ships.

"The Alliance!" repeated Jones sternly. "I have repeatedly signaled to Captain Landau to follow in our wake—to form line ahead. If we get out of this thing safely!" he stopped, repressed his feeling by a strong effort, compressing his lips passionately in a way which promised trouble for

must and thrusting out the arms, which he handled with the skill of long practice and strong arms. The difference of speed between the boat and the two ships was now of course greater than before.

"Why fatigue yourself unnecessarily?" she said to him at last, after he had been rowing for some time. "You gain nothing. This useless."

"No matter," was his reply as he desperately tugged at the oars. "I shall at least have the consciousness of knowing I did what I could." But after pulling hard for an hour he leaned over the handles of the oars and, turning his head, looked forward. She was right. It was a perfectly hopeless task. The nearest ships were now ten or a dozen miles away, and going further, when a flash of light pierced the darkness on the horizon, followed some time after by the roar of a heavy gun.

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"Aye, aye, sir!"

"We will, sir!"

"Count on us to the death, sir!"

broke forth from the impetuous youths who clustered about the captain.

"Remember that we are fighting not only to uphold the honor of our flag in the face of the most arrogant navy on the ocean, but to rescue from a shameful death—if it be not unhappily too late—one of our brother officers who would give his life to be here."

"O'Neill, O'Neill!" cried one and another, the brave Irishman being a great favorite with all.

"I enjoin upon you the utmost vigilance and care. Supplement your inexperience by redoubled effort. Be as brave as youths and as cool as veterans. Give implicit obedience to the orders you receive from Mr. Dale, Mr. Stacey or from me, and exact the same compliance with your orders from your men. They are a hard lot to handle. Don't lose control of them."

He paused a moment, scanning the intent faces of the lads close about him, and then continued: "Remember, too, we have more than one foe to fight—the prisoners below, the enemies yonder on the sea and disobedience in our own squadron. Who keeps guard over the prisoners in the hold?"

"I, sir, with the master at arms," answered Payne, a resolute looking youth of fifteen, "I wanted to be on deck in the battles, sir."

"You could have no more important station, my lad," replied the captain. "Keep them under hatches! Do not hesitate to shoot the first man who makes a move to break out! They must not be allowed to gain the deck. At all hazards keep them down! I repeat it, sir, keep them down! Do you understand?"

"Yes, sir," gravely answered the boy, awed by the emphasis of the captain's manner.

"You, Mr. Mayrant, with Mr. Menace, the purser, and Mr. Brooks, will remain on deck with Mr. Stacey and me," continued the captain. "You, Mr. McCallin, will take charge of the old 18 pounders on the berth deck! You, too, have a post of danger! Be careful of them! I distrust them greatly, yet they must be tried."

"Aye, aye, sir. Thank you, sir," said the young midshipman, delighted at being thus distinguished.

"Mr. Caswell," he added, turning to the largest and oldest, "you will take charge of the forecannon. Mr. Manning, I confide the mainmast to you. The rest of you will command the several divisions in the main batteries and the other tops. Now, young gentlemen, before you go to your stations I would take you by the hand, and say: 'Lift up his cocked hat reverently, an example all present followed, 'May God guard the right!' There was a suspicious moisture in some of the eyes looking upon the captain, but the midshipman would have died rather than permit an actual tear to be seen.

"Three cheers for Commodore Jones and the Bonhomme Richard!" at last shouted Payne, breaking the insupportable silence. The little party, somewhat forgetful of discipline for the moment, crowded around their captain, shaking him by the hand, and turned away. They had come up to the quarter deck a rollicking set of boys. They returned from it a group of grave-eyed men.

"What a splendid set of youngsters!" said Jones to himself as he watched them spring lightly toward their stations. Then he turned toward the sailing master. "Mr. Stacey, take the deck for a few moments and hold on as we are. Ah!" he said, pointing with his foot on the ladder as he saw the Pallas, a much swifter sailer than the Richard, rushing by on the starboard side with every breadth of canvas drawing, heading for the smaller of the two English ships before them.

"There goes the Pallas. Cottonseed at last is a brave man. I shall remember him. Come, Dale. As he stepped down the ladder a heavy creak came out from the passing frigate which, without order, was lustily returned from the Richard, and then the two officers walked through the batteries.

"The sun had set for some time, and night had long since fallen over the sea. The light-house on Scarborough head was sending out a great beam of warning from that jutting point. Far on the horizon a silvery brightness had spread itself in the heavens, bespeaking the harvest moon, the burnished rim of which even before sunset had leaped into being on the edge of the water. Lights twinkled here and there on the English ships before them and crowned the hills of the distant town and harbor. Little lanterns were lighted between decks on the Richard, the yellow flickering radiance from which was reflected from the shewy, half naked, sweat covered bodies of the sentry men at their quarters as the captain walked through the crew.

It was a varied assemblage of about 300 men which manned the guns and filled the tops. The crew had been made up in France out of such materials as came to hand. There were about seventy-five tried and true American seamen, most of them veterans of many a hard fight and bold adventure. These commanded the different guns and filled the more important stations. There were, perhaps, 150 veteran French soldiers—old artillerymen—some of whom had volunteered at the guns. A few of the most expert marksmen among them were stationed in the tops, but the greater portion was divided into two large bodies drawn up on the quarter deck and for sides. The balance of the crew had been gathered from the riffraff of all nations. Perhaps a tougher, rougher, harder, more desperate body of men never fought in a ship. They had but one virtue—they were loyal.

(To be Continued).

And in the Shadow of the Sacred Cod!

Any inattention or neglect on part of employer, if reported to the cashier or head waiter, will be deemed a favor or the management.—From a Boston Hotel Bill of Fare.

Read the want ads.

SECOND JOHANN HOCH DISCOVERED

DEAD BURGLAR SAID TO HAVE MURDERED TWO WOMEN.

GOTHAM CASES CLEARED

Henry Hoffman, Killed While Robbing, Was Slayer of Sophy Heckler and Mrs. Lena Schum.

New York, Sept. 4.—A second Johann Hoch, the police believe, has been discovered in Henry Hoffman, the burglar who was killed while attempting to rob Charles Varrell's flat early last Friday morning.

The police on Saturday declared that Hoffman was the murderer of Sophy Heckler, a servant girl found dead August 3, and Tuesday they announced the belief that he also murdered Mrs. Lena Schum, who was killed in Brooklyn August 20.

Had Mrs. Schum's Property.

The detective who has been at work on the Schum case is positive that Hoffman killed the woman. Among the jewelry found in the room Hoffman had occupied for some time before he was killed was a pair of earrings, which has been positively identified by Miss Minnie Springer, a young woman who formerly lived with Mrs. Schum, as Mrs. Schum's property. The young woman described the earrings minutely, saying that they were brought from Bavaria by Mrs. Schum. She also made a sketch of them, and when a number of similar pieces were shown her she unmistakably picked out those found in Hoffman's room.

A peculiar ring of gold, set with a small red stone, which was found in Hoffman's room, was also identified by Miss Springer as the property of Mrs. Schum. The jewelry was later identified by Mrs. John Schum, the murdered woman's sister-in-law. Miss Springer also picked from a bunch of keys one found in Hoffman's room, which she said was the key to Mrs. Schum's flat, saying she had often used it. The key fitted the lock of the door when tried later by the police.

Blood on His Coat.

Samuel Weinberg, a tailor, whose shop is on the ground floor of the building in which Hoffman roomed after the killing of Sophy Heckler, Tuesday identified Hoffman's body as that of a man who went to his shop on August 21, the day after Mrs. Schum was killed, with a coat which he wanted cleaned. The coat, Weinberg said, was badly blood-stained. Hoffman explained these stains by saying that he had been in a fight the night before and had been badly battered up, although he showed no signs of it, according to Weinberg.

Hoffman's method, like that of Hoch, the police say, was to make the acquaintance of women of his own nationality and by pretending a desire to marry them secure the opportunity of robbing and, if necessary, killing them.

Miss Springer stated that during the long time she had lived with Mrs. Schum the latter had no men callers and no love affairs. The woman was killed after returning from a Bavarian picnic. It was the fact that Hoffman was a Bavarian that first led the police to suspect that he might have been the murderer of Mrs. Schum.

Killed While Police Waited for Him.

Sophy Heckler was killed August 3, in the home of her employer, Leo Mack, in Sixty-second street. At the same time the house was robbed. The police secured a description of a man who had been several times seen with the girl and, from a chance remark which a neighbor overheard, finally decided that Hoffman was the man they wanted.

The police located him as living under an assumed name in a rooming house and searched his belongings, discovering the articles stolen from the Mack house. They took a room in the house and waited there for him. He had told his landlady that he would return on Saturday night, but Friday morning he was killed.

Hoffman entered the Varrell flat early last Friday morning and attempted to kill the entire Varrell family by turning on the gas. When this was discovered, and the family had retired again, he once more entered the flat and turned on the gas. A short time after the second attempt was discovered Varrell saw Hoffman in the flat and shot and killed him.

E. E. Chester, Champaign, Ill., Dies.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 4.—Word was received of the death of E. E. Chester, at his home in Champaign Tuesday. Mr. Chester was a large land owner in Champaign county and was for years a trustee of the University of Illinois. He acted as judge of the corn exhibit at the World's Columbian exposition in 1893 and also at the St. Louis exposition in 1901.

Double Crime by Rejected Suitor.

Worthington, Minn., Sept. 4.—Mrs. William Bryson, a widow, was shot and killed here Tuesday morning by William Walsh because she refused to marry him. Walsh then turned the revolver upon himself and blew out his brains.

Inventor of Bell Buoy Dead.

Charleston, S. C., Sept. 4.—Captain Henry Brown, a veteran of the Mexican and civil wars, and inventor of the bell buoy as now used at American ports, died here Tuesday, aged 80 years.

Country Sparingly Populated.

A vast portion of Australia is virtually empty. The ratio of white population in northern Australia is about one to every 700 square miles.

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John Henry With the Drummers

By HUGH McHUGH
(George V. Hobart)

It was a swift squad of sports that climbed into a coach and allowed themselves to be yanked over the rails in the direction of Chicago one morning last week.

A bunch of brisk boys—believe me! Nick Dalrymple, Tod Stone, Slim Barnes—say: do you remember Slim? Travels for a clothing house in Cincinnati and they call him Slim because he's so fat that every time he turns around he meets himself coming back.

He's all to the good—that boy! And such a cut-up! Slim knows more "look-out!—there's-a-lady-over-there!" stories than any other drummer in the business. Nick goes after the girl things for a hardware house in Columbus and he



"A Bunch of Brisk Boys—Believe Me!"

knows everybody in the world—but no one living.

Nick has only one trouble, he will paddle after the ponies.

Whenever he makes a town where there's a pool room his expense account gets fat and beefy, and Nick begins to worry for fear he may win something.

He won \$12 in Cleveland once and he spent \$218 in a horse-racing that night getting statistics on how it happened.

Tod Stone cuts ice for a match factory in Newark and he's the life of a small party.

Tod's main hold is to creep into the "reading room" of a hotel after the choral are done of an evening and throw salvo at the comers.

Tod tells them that their town is the brightest spot on the map and they warm up to him and want to buy him champagne and root beer.

Then when he gets them stuck on themselves he sells them matches.

"The game to quarters and all right!" said Slim about half an hour after the train pulled out.

In the seat ahead of us a somewhat demure looking proposition in railroad rags had been sampling the scenery ever since we started.

We had all given her the glad glance but she was very much cold storage, so we passed it up.

As Slim spoke, the proposition was joined by a young chap with a loose face who had been out in the smoking room working faithfully on one of those Panama Panama cigars that bite you on the finger if you show the least sign of fear.

Just then the train stopped for a few minutes and we were put wise to the fact that it was an invariable case of bride and groom.

"Oh! Hooley is back to his bride!" said the brand new wife; "did Hooley like his smoky woky?"

Hooley opened a bunch of cigars and sat down while his wife patted his cheek and cooed:

"Is umm glad to get back to umm 'tittle wifey-pifey?"

Nick Dalrymple and Tod Stone began to scream inwardly and Slim was chuckling like a pet porpoise.

"Sweetie mustn't be angry with Pottie, but Sweetie is sitting on Pottie's



"Hooley is So Happy With His Tizzy—Wizzzy!" Gurgled the Husband.

"Tittle hand!" said the bride, whereupon Tod exploded and Slim began to grab for his breath.

A Dutch brewer and his wife sat right ahead of Hooley and Mirdle and every once in a while the old hop puncher would turn around and beam benignly over the gold mine at the bride.

"Hooley must snuggly-wuggly up closer to his Couzzy and skeeze her 'tity arm—no, no, not her waist! you naughty! naughty!"

The brewer was back at the bride with another gold-rimmed googie when his wife got nervous and cut in:

"Chuzzlebudd! Tree.

One of the curiosities of South Africa is the "snoozeland" tree. No one can cut it with a saw without sneezing as the saw dust is very irritating.

"Is it you turn your face to see a comedienne—yes?" she snapped, and the foam-blower ducked to the window and began to eat scenery.

Dalrymple was almost out; Tod was under the seat, sparring for wind; Slim was giving an imitation of a coal-burner in a heavy sea, and the rest of the passengers were in various stages from hiccupping to convulsions.

"Is Hooley comfey wif his 'titty weeny teeny Mirdle?" chirped the bride.

"Hooley is so happy wif his tizzy—wizzzy!" gurgled the husband; "how's my 'tittle girley wifzy?"

"Oh! she's such a happy wappy 'tittle fling!" giggled the dotty dame, pinching her piggy's ear, whereupon the brewer tried to hand the bride another gasoline gaze, but the old lady caught him with the goods:

"Is it to my face you go behind my back to make googley-googley eyes ad somevun—yes?" she growled, and in a minute the brewer's brow was busy with the window pane.

"Sweetie looks at Pottie and Sweetie sees that Pottie's potty face is getting sunburned, so it is!" chuckled Mrs. Dalry; "and Sweetie has a dood mind to kiss him, too!"

"They opened a newspaper, crawled under cover and began to bite each other on the chin.

"Go as far as you like!" said Slim, then he went down and out.

The man who had helped to make Weehawken famous had his head out the window watching for an ice-cream wagon, and Mrs. Brower was industriously muttering, "Du bist ein Narr, Du bist ein Narr!"

Just then the train pulled out and saved our lives.

Nick, Tod, Slim and I went over near the water-cooler to rest up, and in a minute the three of them were fainting each other with fairy tales about the goods they sold.

I'll back these three boys to dream longer than any other drummers on the track.

It's a pipe that they can sell bills to each other all day and never wake up.

The Hot Air association was in full session when Buck Jones caromed over from the other end of the car and weighed-in with us.

He thinks he strikes 12 on all occasions, but his clock is all to the bad.

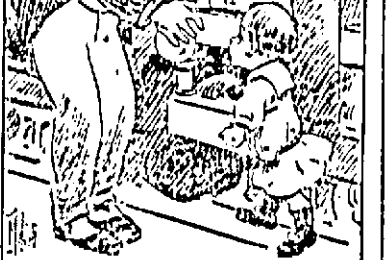
Buck isn't a drummer—nay! nay! take back your role!

He'll look you straight in the eye and tell you he's a traveling salesman—mix on the drummer!

I think Buck sells canned shirt waists for the Shino Brothers.

Buck's wife and a three-year-old were traveling with him, but he wasn't giving it out through a megaphone.

Buck is one of those goose-headed guys who begin to scratch gravel and



"Papa! Mama Wants 'oo to Det My Bottle of Milk!"

start in to make a killing every time they see a pretty girl.

Across the aisle sat two pot canaries from Plainfield, New Jersey.

They were members of the Southern Stinging society and they were on route to the west to join the "Hunch of Mids Barlesque Company."

Their names were Mille and Tille and they were Morodora hats and did a sister act that contained more bad grammar than an East Side pinocchio game.

Mille was fully aware that she could back Duce off the map, and Tille was ready to bet a week's salary that she could make Bernhard feel like she was out in the storm we had day before yesterday.

Slim called them the Roast-Beef Sisters, Rare and Well-done.

In a minute the casters on Buck's neck began to turn.

Slim put us wise with a wink so we lit the fire and began to cook it up.

Buck's heart was warming for the birds in the gilded cage.

"The real Kibo!" said Slim; "it's a plain case of Appointment; the war is over and they are yours, Buck!"

Then Buck bounced over and began to show Mille and Tille what a handsome brute he was at close quarters.

He sat on the arm of the seat and steamed up.

In less than a minute he crowded the information on them that he was a millionaire who had escaped from Los Angeles, Cal., and he was just going to put them both in grand opera when his three-year-old toddled down the aisle and grabbed him by the coat tail!

"Papa! Mama wants 'oo to det my bottle of milk!"

"Stun!" shrieked Slim.

"Back to the nursery!" howled Tod, and then as Buck crawled away to home and mother we let out a yell that caused the conductor to think the train had struck a wild west show.

During the rest of the trip Buck was nailed to his seat.

Every time he tried to use the elastic in his neck his wife would burn him with a hard, cold glower.

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FRENCH ROUT THE MOORS IN BATTLE

DISPERSE LARGE FORCE FROM
TADDERT AND MZAB TRIBES.

TEDALA IS BOMBARDED

Tazzi Brothers, to Whom is Laid the
Ruin of the Empire, Are
Assassinated at
Fez.

Paris, Sept. 4.—Admiral Philibert reports that a serious engagement occurred Monday near Casablanca, when a large force of Moors of the Taddert and Mzab tribes was dispersed by the French troops. The French cruisers Gloire and Guiond participated in the action, firing 60 shells.

A dispatch from Madrid to La Liberté Tuesday afternoon says that Spain, in accordance with the agreement arrived at with France, has decided to occupy Melilla, Tangier, Tetuan, El-Arisha and Kasser-el-Kebir, guaranteeing the security of Europeans until the international police are organized.

Ships Bombard Moor Center, Casablanca, Sept. 4.—It is reported that a Moorish column at Taddert has been dispersed by a French detachment. Tedala, which the French cruiser Guiond bombarded, was used as a supply center by the Moors.

Four French soldiers, including Capt. Massenet, of the Thirteenth artillery, were wounded during Sunday's engagement with the Moors. The fatalities showed extreme recklessness, but eventually retired under the repeated sweeping charges of the French and the terrific bombardment of the artillery. The fighting was started by the Arabs attacking a reconnoitering party which Gen. Drude, the French commander, reinforced by five companies of Infantry and two batteries of artillery and Spanish African hussars and irregular Algerian cavalry. The loss of the Moors is not known.

Tazzi Brothers Assassinated, Letters received here from Fez declare that the Tazzi brothers, Abd-krim Ben Sliman, the Moroccan foreign minister, and Ganam, the sultan's second representative at Tangier, have been assassinated by partisans of the cald of Mechuar, the official who introduced ambassadors to the court of the sultan.

The Tazzi brothers exercised almost complete domination over the sultan, and to them is attributed the ruin of the empire. It is alleged that they sought only their personal aggrandizement. Their fortune is counted by millions and is said to be sufficient to pay the entire debt of Morocco.

PROBING PHILLIPS' DEATH. Autopsy Indicates Cleveland Man Didn't Kill Himself.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 4.—Investigation into the death of John J. Phillips, the former wealthy coal operator, chairman and banker, which occurred under mysterious circumstances shortly after midnight Monday, was begun by the coroner's department Tuesday. According to an autopsy made by physicians, the bullet which killed Phillips was fired from behind and the range they say makes it impossible that Mr. Phillips could have fired it himself. The family are positive that Phillips was murdered, but whether by a burglar, as he declared in his dying statement to his wife, or by some unknown enemy, they are not fully convinced.

The work of unravelling Phillips' financial affairs was begun by attorneys and others, and it is said that his liabilities are probably \$100,000, or enough to practically wipe out what was left of a former fortune.

MORE RIOTING IN ANTWERP. Militia Called to Suppress Striking Dock Laborers.

Antwerp, Sept. 4.—The rioting between the local police and the striking dock laborers broke out afresh at one o'clock Wednesday morning and is rapidly assuming alarming proportions. Drummers were sent through the town to beat an urgent summons to the militia to turn out again immediately.

The rioters Tuesday sprinkled a large timber yard with petroleum and set it on fire. The firemen were busy until a late hour in putting out the flames. Various detachments of police charged the strikers with drawn sabers, and mounted patrols rode through all the streets. Many persons were wounded in these clashes.

Defect in Quebec Bridge Was Known, Quebec, Que., Sept. 4.—Three separate investigations of the Quebec bridge disaster, in which 75 lives were lost, began here Tuesday. The government's investigating commission and the coroner's jury adjourned until Wednesday. At the annual meeting of the Quebec bridge company the fact was brought out that the defect in the structural work had been discovered previous to the day of the accident.

Slayer of "Black Hand" Exonerated, Bradenville, Pa., Sept. 4.—Frank Clephane, a shoemaker, who last Saturday night shot and killed one of the three alleged members of the Black Hand society who entered his store and demanded money, was exonerated by a coroner's jury Tuesday on the grounds of self-defense.

Fashion Note. Oddly enough the craze for jumper dresses started in the spring, and is increasing by leaps and bounds. They are even worn at hops.

IN PRAISE OF THE BORE.

One Man Risks to Defend an Unpopular Character.

Stevenson has apologized for the idlers and the thieves and the cannibals, but even that most charitable of men had never a good word to say for the bore. Not in life nor in literature have we ever found a man bold enough to speak well of him; the croak may be forgiven, but the bore never is. Poor devil! How all the world is against him! And yet this is scarcely just; for in his way he is an excellent thing; an honest creature. He is what he is. God made him a bore; he struggles not against his destiny, but a bore he remains; there is less of hypocrisy about him than about other men; he conceals nothing from his neighbor that interests himself; out of the kindness of his heart he passes on his own experience; he is generous of himself; he has a message, and if the hints of his hearers should cause him to abate one syllable of it he would feel that he had been false to his mission; the little insouciance with which more ignoble men jolly the hours along are beneath him. Look at his motives and you will see that he is unjustly used; we all of us know him, and we should treat him with more charity, for upon occasion we have all been he, —Don Marquis, in Uncle Remus's Magazine.

SPOLIING COURSE OF LOVE. Young Man Misunderstood Answer of His Charmer.

There was once a bashful young policeman, whom we will name George X., who was in love with a young lady, but was too backward to propose to her. One night, however, he plucked up courage and went to her house. After being seated with her on the sofa, he said, "Mary, I love you." The young lady, who was looking for this for some time, dropped her eyes and murmured, "Ditto, George." To her surprise and disappointment he changed the subject and finally went away. The next day he was talking to some brother policeman at the fence of a large field of cabbage.

"Hoy," said George, "what does ditto mean?" "Why," said one of them, pointing to a very large cabbage, "do you see that cabbage?" "Yes," said George. "And do you see that one next to it?" "I do," said George. "Well," said the other, "that second cabbage-head is ditto to the first one." "What!" roared George, "did that confounded girl call me a cabbage-head?" And he went his way and refused to be comforted.—Judge's Library.

Uncle Eben's Wisdom. "Some men," said Uncle Eben, "find fault around home because it's do only place where dey's important enough to git a chance to spread deir minds."

MARKET REPORT

(By Associated Press.)

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 4, 1907. Cattle Receipts, 24,000. Market, 10c lower. Hogs, \$1.00; \$1.25; \$1.50; \$1.75; \$2.00; \$2.25; \$2.50; \$2.75; \$3.00; \$3.25; \$3.50; \$3.75; \$4.00; \$4.25; \$4.50; \$4.75; \$5.00; \$5.25; \$5.50; \$5.75; \$6.00; \$6.25; \$6.50; \$6.75; \$7.00; \$7.25; \$7.50; \$7.75; \$8.00; \$8.25; \$8.50; \$8.75; \$9.00; \$9.25; \$9.50; \$9.75; \$10.00; \$10.25; \$10.50; \$10.75; \$11.00; \$11.25; \$11.50; \$11.75; \$12.00; \$12.25; \$12.50; \$12.75; \$13.00; \$13.25; \$13.50; \$13.75; \$14.00; \$14.25; \$14.50; \$14.75; \$15.00; \$15.25; \$15.50; \$15.75; \$16.00; \$16.25; \$16.50; \$16.75; \$17.00; \$17.25; \$17.50; \$17.75; \$18.00; \$18.25; \$18.50; \$18.75; \$19.00; \$19.25; \$19.50; \$19.75; \$20.00; \$20.25; \$20.50; \$20.75; \$21.00; \$21.25; \$21.50; \$21.75; \$22.00; \$22.25; \$22.50; \$22.75; \$23.00; \$23.25; \$23.50; \$23.75; \$24.00; \$24.25; \$24.50; \$24.75; \$25.00; \$25.25; \$25.50; \$25.75; \$26.00; \$26.25; \$26.50; \$26.75; \$27.00; \$27.25; \$27.50; \$27.75; \$28.00; \$28.25; \$28.50; \$28.75; \$29.00; \$29.25; \$29.50; 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